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Dedication

We, the Class of January, 1939, dedicate our Brochure to Miss Philippine C. Crecelius as an expression of sincere appreciation for her intelligent and unselfish devotion to the cause of public education, and in particular, to the needs of the students of Blewett High School. Miss Crecelius, we welcome this opportunity to tell you that we are truly grateful. As a group, we wish to say that we thank you.

FOREWORD

The visions of yesterday are the realities of today; the realities of today soon become the memories of yesterday.

A wise man once said, "There is more pleasure in the anticipation of an event than there is in its realization." We who bring you the 1939 Brochure contend that there is more pleasure in the recollection of an event than there is in either the anticipation or the realization of it.

This volume is a chapter from our lives, a most delightful chapter; one which will stand out sharply when the memories of other things have paled.

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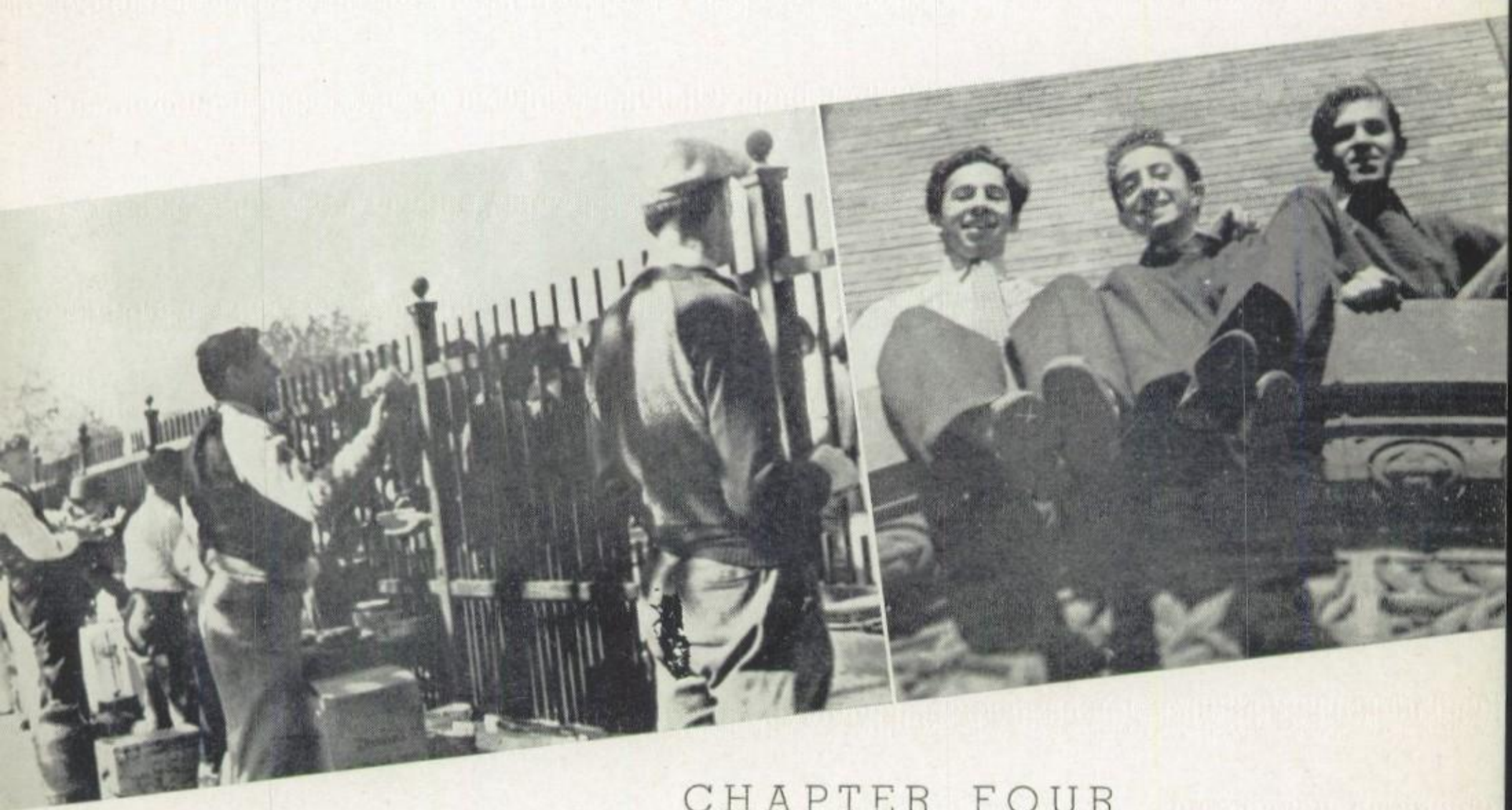

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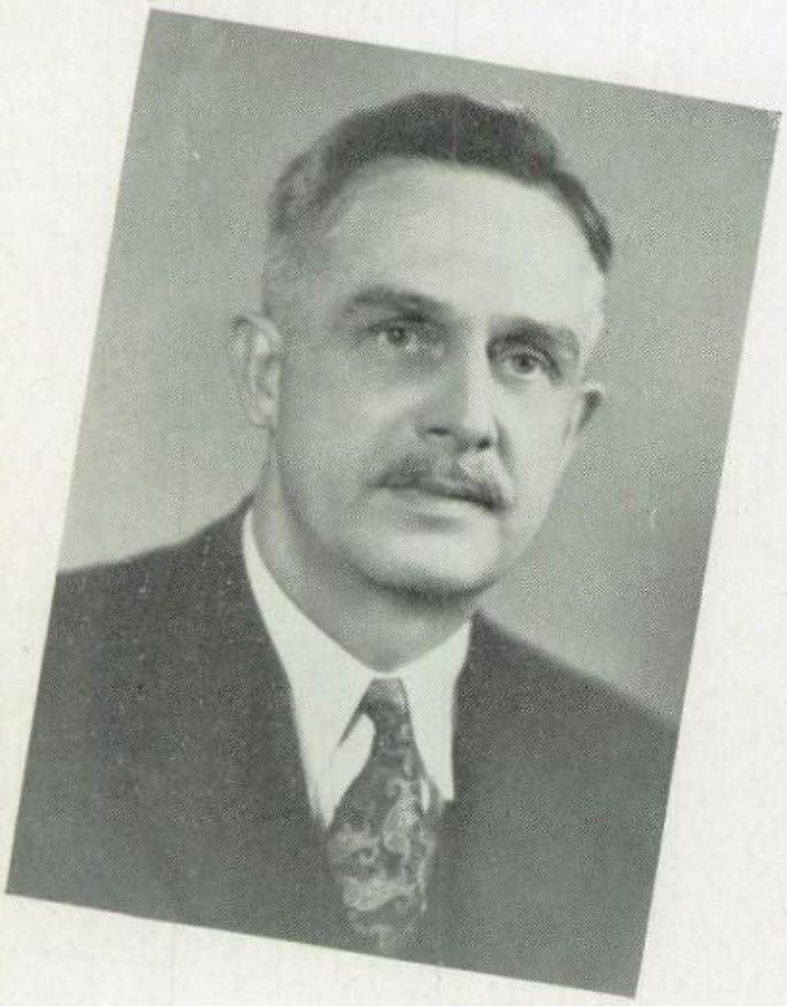
ADMINISTRATION

MISS ERNST

Our beloved principal, Miss Lily R. Ernst, has been principal of Blewett High since the beginning of its second year as a senior high school. The principals of Blewett through the years were P. W. L. Cox, L. W. Rader, Dr. H. H. Ryan, H. H. Mecker, and finally our own Miss Ernst, at present the only woman principal of a St. Louis public high school.



MR. HOLDEN

Mr. Holden, the Assistant Principal of Blewett, has been at Blewett ever since it was transformed into a senior high school in the fall of 1933. He has been an ever-guiding hand to the promotion of public education for many years. He arrived the year preceding Miss Ernst's arrival, when Mr. Mecker was principal. His most effective experience has been of the greatest aid to every pupil of Blewett High.

Senior Officers and Class Sponsor

t Blewett for January, Nineteen Thirty-Nine

The FACULTY

The Faculty of Blewett High consists of forty-nine teachers who, on the most part, through many years of experience have come to understand every phase of mental and moral problems of the boys and girls of high school age. We, the Seniors, have come to realize what a great aid the Faculty has been through our four years at Blewett.

The Faculty

Row Three: Bailey, Fairham, Dolan, Guerin, Crecelius, Coultas, Frankenberger, Erskine.
Row Two: Gallup, Cable, Gray, Forsythe, Miss Ernst, Barnes, Forsman.
Row One: Bell, Fitzmaurice, Coakley, Fitzsimmons, Chambers, Brown, DeVilbiss.

Miss L. R. Ernst - - - - - Principal
Floyd E. Bailey - - - Mathematics
Paul F. Barnes - - - - - - Science
Louis A. Bell - - - - - - Chemistry
C. Bockelbrink - - - Industrial Arts
Grace Brown - - - Household Arts
Jessie Cable - - - - - - - - English
Beulah Chambers - Household Arts
Elizabeth K. Coakley—
Mathematics
Emma Coultas - - - - - - - English
Philippine Crecelius - - - Science
A. D. DeVilbiss - - - - - - Science
Ruth Dolan - - - - - - Mathematics
Greene Erskine - - - Industrial Arts
Christine Fairham - - Commercial
Grace Fitzmaurice - Social Science
Margaret Fitzsimmons—
Social Science
Cornelia Forbes - - Social Science
Guy C. Forsman - - - - Language
Hazel Forsythe - - - - - Language
C. D. Frankenberger—
Physical Education
M. R. Gallup - - - - - - - English
Arthur Glick - - - - - - - - Science
Daphrene Gray - - - - - - English
Elizabeth Guerin - - Social Science
Aelize Haack - Physical Education
Robert Hahnel - - - - - - - - Music
Mr. R. F. Holden—
Assistant Principal
Edna V. Johnson - - - - - - Clerk

The Faculty

Row Three: Robinson, Krause, Spurr, H. Smith, Thias, Osterman, Rothman, Holden, Wood, Sullivan.
Row Two: Martyr, Seitz, Timmerherm, Schlutius, Ludlow, Maus, Markham, Jones.
Row One: Perrine, Levy, Mulholland, Rowan, Pauls, M. Smith, Longfield.

N. R. D. Jones - - - - - - - Science
A. L. Koste - - - - - - - - - Clerk
F. Arthur Krause - - - - - - - - Art
Judith Levy - - - - - Social Science
C. S. Longfield - - - Industrial Arts
Josephine Ludlow - - - - - English
Carrie Markham - - - Mathematics
J. L. Martyr - - - - - Social Science
Elizabeth Maus - - - - - - English
Sophie Mueller - - - - - - - - Clerk
Grace Mulholland - Social Science
Lily Osterman - - - - - - Librarian
Dorothy Pauls - - - Social Science

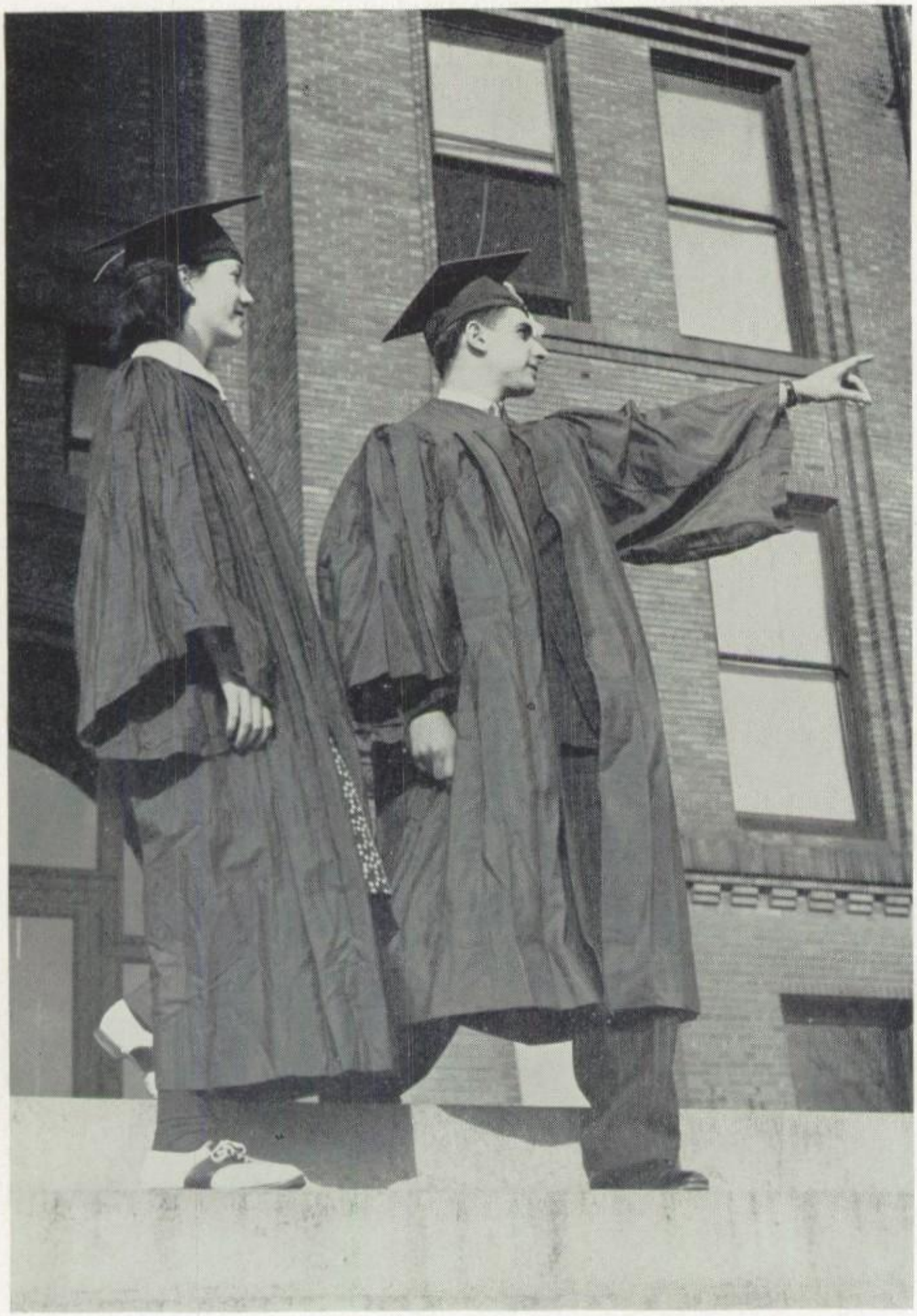
Joseph Perrine - - - - - - - - Music
Evelyn Robinson - - - - Language
Madeleine Rothman - - Language
Cecilia Rowan - - - Social Science
Louise Schlutius - - - - Language
Eugene Seitz - Physical Education
Helen Smith - - - - - - - - English
Myrtle Smith - - - - - - - English
Frederick Spurr - - - - - Language
Dr. K. C. Sullivan - - - - - Science
Melinda Thias - - - - - - - English
Teresa Timmerherm - Commercial
Elizabeth M. Wood—
Physical Education

Chapter One

SENIORS

This section introduces to you the Seniors of January, 1939, and presents the culmination of their days in Blewett.

To the Seniors and their completion of twelve years of education, this section of their book is devoted.



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Ackermann, Ruth

Her type is hard to find, For she is gracious, willing and kind.

Knitting Club, Cap and Gown Committee, Tennis Club, Junior Academy of Science.

Altman, Dorothy

Quiet, modest and sincere.

Girls Athletic Association, Griffin Typist, Class Day Committee, Special Chorus, Nature Club.

Appleman, Ethel

Speech is silver, silence is golden.

Nature Club, Social Service, Class Day Committee, Special Chorus, Girls Glee Club, A Cappella Choir, Musica Americana, Centennial Pageant.

Bartlow, Ardell

As a man thinketh in his mind so is he!

Verse Choir, Ice Skating Club, Track '35, '36, '38, Dramatic Guild, Entertainment Chairman, Snap Shot Committee, Blewett Pageant, Senior Play, Surveying Club, Debate.

Block, Arthur

He will answer to the purpose.

Briscoe, Dorothy

All good things come in small parcels.

Cap and Gown Committee.

Brittain, Mary

Friend to all, foe to none.

Griffin Staff, Ping Pong Club, Social Service Worker. Poetry Club, Chairman of typist on Brochure, Ice Skating Club, School Pageant, Marionette Club, Special Chorus, Voice Class.

Bryan, Constance

A dazzling smile, twinkling eyes—Connie.

Girls Athletic Club.

Capasso, Alfred

A good name is better than gold.

Castelli, Charles

A friendly lad, whom we can say. did his work and had his play.

Baseball '37, '38.

Castelli, Zina

A merry heart is as good as medicine.

Social Service Worker, Ping Pong Club, Refreshment Committee, Girls Athletic Club, Chairman of Cap and Gown, Junior Academy of Science, Marionette Club, Cookie Committee.

Dodson, Oran

Here he comes, there he goes,
Making friends and never foes.

Senior New Senior Party Committee, Ring and Pin Committee, Literature Committee Brochure.

Dokos, Helen

She was a bright and shining light.

Spanish Club, Type Committee, Junior Folklore.

Downing, Anna

Her voice is ever soft and low.

Social Service Club.

Edwards, Evelyn

Kindness is a virtue.

Evers, Dorsetta

Very quiet and unassuming,
There a smile is always blooming.

Travel Club, Social Service, Ping Pong Club, Tennis Club, Decoration Committee, Chairman Ring and Pin, Biology Club, Brochure Staff.

Finan, Margaret

Helpfulness is always wanted.

Typewriting Committee, Shorthand Club, Girls Athletic Club.

Finlay, Margaret

She is a girl who is very sweet,
One, I am sure, you ought to meet.

Social Service Worker, Ping Pong Club, Tennis Club, Griffin Staff, Decoration Committee, Ring and Pin Committee, Knitting Club, Girls Athletic Club, Typing.

Fred, Leon

Courageous in many ways.

Math Club, Boys Pep Club, Bird Club, Pageant, Senior-New Senior Party.

Geiz, Wm.

Music always at his finger tips—Talent is his.

Baseball '38, Ice Skating Club, Ring and Pin Committee.

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German, Helen

Dark eyes, dark hair, but a bright nature.

Knitting Club, Camera Club.

Giebler, Erma

Her quiet ways are soothing.

Girls Athletic Club.

Giesler, Alma Jayne

Charm in her smile, kindness in her actions and personality in her voice.

Vice President of Class, Verse Choir, Social Service Worker, Ping Pong Club, Tennis Club, Decoration Committee, Ice Skating Club, Griffin Representative.

Glaze, Virginia

Ever surrounding her—a warm glow of friendship.

Social Service Worker, Verse Choir, Ping Pong Club, Type Committee, Senior Banner Committee, Senior-New Senior Party Committee.

Greene, Bob

No sinner, yet no saint, Just one of teacher's complaints.

Track '35, '37, Ice Skating, Travel Club, Boys Glee, Special Chorus, Entertainment Committee, Decoration Committee, Senior-New Senior Party.

Hauk, Gerry

A smile that radiates vitality.

Bird Club, Ping Pong Club, Social Service Worker, Pep Club.

Hearst, William Clarence

He has a host of friends.

Camera Club, Engineering Club, Ice Skating Club, Track Team, Pageant, Chairman of Motto Committee.

Hepe, Dorothe

Determination is her greatest virtue.

Tennis Club, Literature Committee, Pageant.

Hill, Ada

A soft answer turneth away wrath.

Ping Pong Club.

Hodgman, George

His powers of accomplishments are many.

Track Team, Verse Choir, Golf, Pageant, Entertainment Committee, Boxing Show, Senior Play, Dramatic Guild, Debate Club.

Hovis, Patty

A tender heart and smile so warm.

School Orchestra, Dance Orchestra, Shorthand, Pageant, Special Chorus, Type Committee.

Jones, James G.

We don't know what to do with him or what to do without him.

Football, Baseball, Chairman of Art Committee, Advertising Committee, Special Chorus, Swimming Team, Pageant, Brochure Staff.

Keppler, Helen

Personality leads to popularity.

Poetry Club, Spanish Dramatic Club, Griffin Staff, Folklore Festival, Senior Play, Girls Glee, Secretary Senior Class, Ping Pong Club, Musica Americana.

Kesslinger, Sol

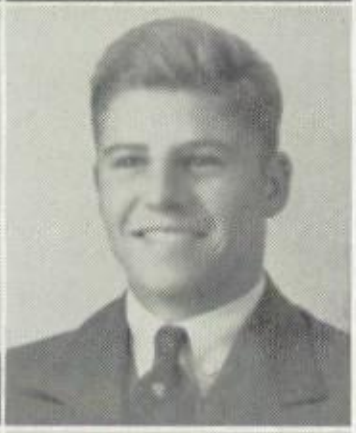
Ambition, strength and wisdom are his companions.

Gym Club, Junior Academy of Science, Camera Club, Ping Pong Club, Special Chorus, Chairman Quotation Committee, Class Motto Committee, Color Committee, Brochure Representative, Centennial Pageant.

Klosterhoff, George

It's nice to be natural.

Chairman of Cap and Gown Committee.



Koehne, Jim

Beneath that mighty chest there beats a heart of gold.

Basketball '37, '38, '39, Baseball '38, Gym Club, Senior Treasurer.

Krummenacher, Ralph

Always ready for lots of fun.
He'll play a joke on anyone.

Griffin Business Manager, Ice Skating Club, Junior Academy of Science, Track '38, Tennis '38, Boys Pep Club, Brochure Staff, Stamp Club, Special Chorus, Senior Play.

Lafata, John B.

The great ability to lead and guide, is his to give and not to hide.

Track '35, Spanish Dramatic Club, Ice Skating Club, Class President, Senior Play.

Lee, Carl

He who is not too wise is wise.

Track '35, Baseball '37, '33, Basketball '38.

Lehr, Virginia

Although she's very quiet she's a swell girl you can't deny it.

Nature Club, Ping Pong Club, Class Day Committee, Travel Club, Centennial, Prophecy Committee, Class Day Committee.

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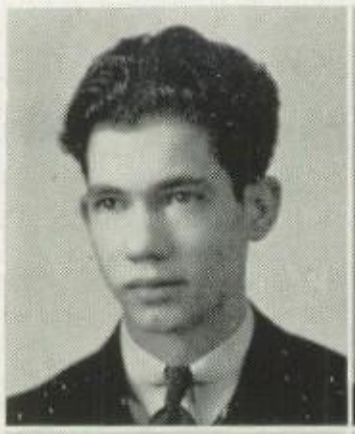
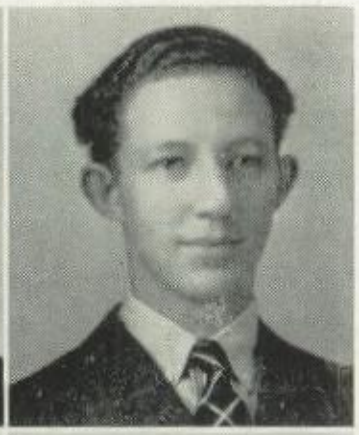
Lewis, James

A man can win if he thinks he can.





Maltzman, Sam

Enjoy the present hour.

Special Chorus, Voice.

May, Robert

A lion with the women.

Griffin Staff, Senior Play, Advertising Committee, Literary Committee, Art Committee.

McCord, Billie

Real worth needs no interpreter.

Bird Club, Girls Athletic Association.

Mosescu, Ida Rosetta

Why is she a nice girl happy as can be?
Ida has no troubles to worry her you see.

Knitting Club, Social Service Worker.

Murphy, Virginia

Supreme in personality.

Nature Club, Girls Athletic Association, Girls Pep Club, Literary Committee, Class Day Committee, Quotation Committee.

Newell, Quitman

A good sport and lots of fun.

Junior Academy of Science, Motto Committee, Cap and Gown Committee, School Pageant.

Nissen, Sol

Success ever his goal.

Basketball, Track.

Noah, Robert

He carries his symbol in industrialism.

Gym Club, Ice Skating Club, Entertainment Committee, Humor Committee, Track.

O'Connor, Thomas

Tall, dark and handsome.

Basketball '36, '37, '38.

O'Neill, Gerry

The smiling Irish.

Ice Skating Club, Junior Academy of Science, A Cappella Choir, Archery Club, Rifle Club, Special Chorus.

Paige, Fred

His disposition is a credit to himself.

Baseball '38, Airplane Club, Cap and Gown Committee, Literary Committee, Quotation Committee.

Pinkus, Estelle

Malice toward none, friendly to all.

A Cappella Choir, Knitting Club, Social Service Worker, Special Chorus, Girls Glee Club, Bird Club.

Quinn, Patrick Donovan

An honest man.

Junior Academy of Science.

Randazzo, Baptiste

He trips the light fantastic toe.

Senior Play, Basketball '37, '38, Spanish Dramatic Club, Boys Glee Club, Variety Show, Folklore.

Rudman, Alice

Of manners gentle.

Griffin Typist, Brochure Typist.

Saigh, William

Today a fine lad, tomorrow a great man.

Verse Choir, Track '37, '38, Associate Editor of Brochure, Gym Club '37, Boys Pep Club, Griffin Staff, Senior Play.

Sargent, Harriet

She hath knowledge that spareth her words.

Girls Athletic Association, Girls Pep Club, Class Day Committee, Prophecy Committee.

Sauders, John

No cares beyond today.

Schmitz, Stanley

Never a dull moment in his company.

Ice Skating Club, Camera Club, Boys Pep Club, School Pageant, Motto Committee, Amateur Show, Decoration Committee.

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Schneider, Gertrude

Concentration is a keynote to success.

Folklore Festival, Girls Athletic Association, Girls Math Club, Chairman of Class Day Committee, Special Chorus, Literary Committee, Nature Club.

Schweppe, Laura

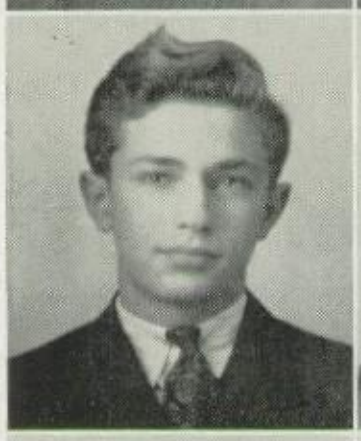
As refreshing as a burst of sunshine after a first spring shower.

Girls Pep Club, Griffin Staff, Brochure Staff, Girls Athletic Association.

Seidel, Eli

He has his greatest joy in being just a regular boy.

Special Chorus.



Shank, Joyce

A warm, radiating personality; friend to all.

Spanish Dramatic, Brochure Staff, Senior Play, Griffin, Folklore Festival.

Shucart, Earl

There lives no greater. I never saw his like.

Verse Choir, Ice Skating '35, '36, '37, '38, Blewett Pageant, Boxing Show, Christmas Card Sales, Track '35, '36, '37, '38, Activities Chairman.

Sievers, Alvin

Stick with your violin, Al my boy, and some day soon you'll bring us all joy.

Ice Skating, Dramatic Club, A Cappella Choir, Junior Academy of Science.

Stuart, Ione

Sweet, gay and a winning smile.

Typing Committee, Photography Committee.

Teitelbaum, Oscar

For he's a jolly good fellow.

Special Chorus, Pageant at School, Broadcast at Southwest, Pageant at Municipal Auditorium.

Tuckett, Frank

His deeds exceed his stature.

Track Team '36, Debators Club.

Townsend, John L.

A busy lad, and always gay,
He always has something to say.

Debate, Griffin, Boys Glee Club, Voice, Special Chorus, Pageant, Advertising, Photograph Chairman, Typist Brochure Staff.

Tullock, Bessie

A quiet girl full of assurance.

Ping Pong Club.

Tully, Doris Lucille

The gold of her voice has captured its place in our memories hold.

Voice Class, Social Service Worker, Glee Club, Special Chorus, Senior Class Play.

Walker, Martha

A heart to resolve, a head to contrive, and a hand to execute.

Girls Athletic Club, Debate Team, Senior-New Senior Party, Blewett Pageant, Senior Play, Editor of Brochure.

Wissler, Bailey

A cheery word, pierces any doom.

Ice Skating, Slide Rule, Surveying Club, Quotations Committee, Senior Play, Brochure Staff, Bird Club, Blewett Pageant.

Wood, Lois Anita

They don't come any sweeter.

Voice Class, Senior Class Play, Special Chorus, Glee Club, Ice Skating Club.

Young, Raymond

For one so quiet, never bold, a generous future should unfold.

Ice Skating.

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SENIOR *Activities*

The last half year of a Senior's school life is filled with many pleasant experiences. Numerous social events are held which entertain and help bring about a closer and friendlier relationship between the students.

Heading the list of important activities presented by the Senior Class of 1939, was the Senior-New Senior Party. Last June after a hilarious program was given in the auditorium, everyone proceeded to the girls' gym where "King Dance" reigned.

On October 6 the Seniors sponsored a dance which achieved the distinction of drawing the largest crowd to ever attend a dance at Blewett. Perhaps this signifies effect of the vitality of our senior class.

The Amateur Show which was a success from every standpoint, was presented on Thursday, October 26. Talent galore was found among the competing amateurs. Violinists, singers, dancers and comedians displayed their ability. After a very conscientious appraisal of the presented talent, three winners were selected. Frances Maguire, a singer, won first prize, and Bernadine Garrett, also a singer, took second prize. Third prize was won by Stanley Schmitz, banjoist. The winners were chosen by the applause of the audience.

Halloween brought about another dance which saw the Blewett Dance Orchestra making its debut. Those who heard it predicted the band would have a successful future.

November 28 to December 2 was recognized as the traditional bow week. Senior boys wore bow ties and senior girls wore bows in their hair. The Senior recognition pins were given out on October 14. The pins, round in shape, have the Griffin emblem in the center with the school initials below.

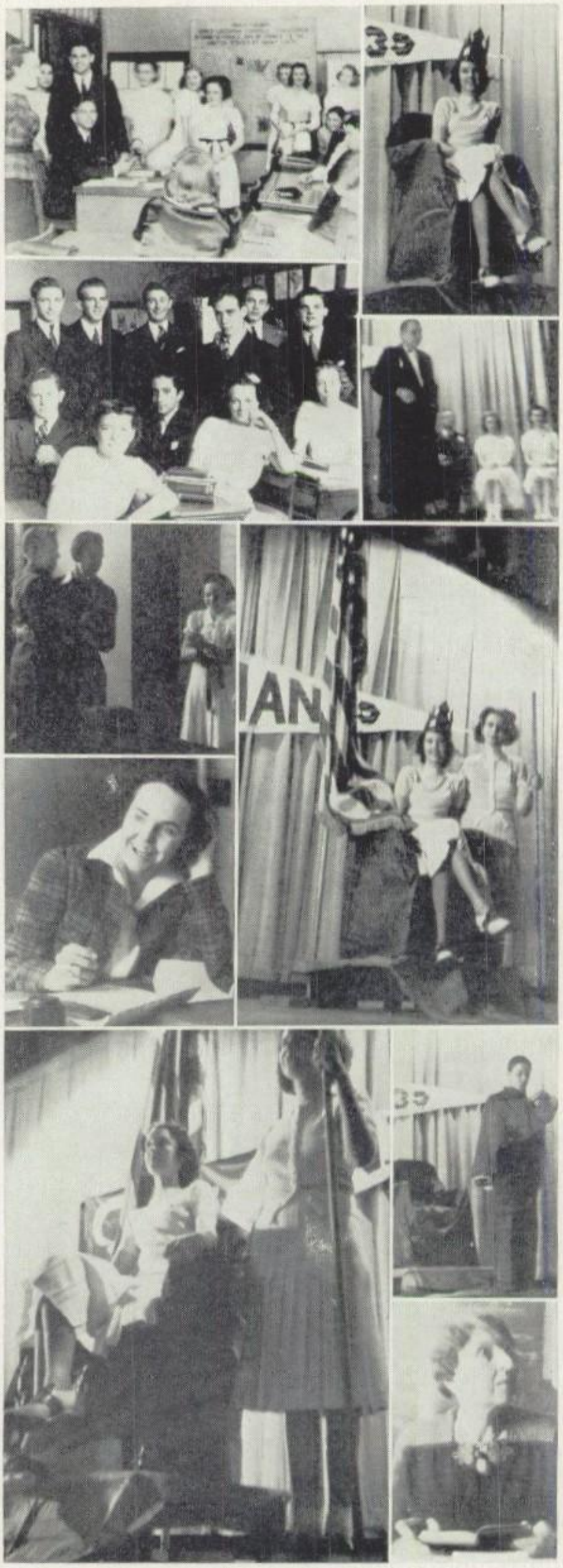
Mr. Seitz's gym team on the afternoon of December 6 gave an exhibition for the benefit of the Senior Class.

After weeks of hard work the Dramatic Class, under the direction of Miss M. Smith, presented the play "Campus Quarantine." As this was a Senior project, the cast was composed entirely of Seniors. Two performances were given, one in the afternoon for the students and one at night for the parents. Both audiences thoroughly enjoyed the performance.

Two very important dates remain yet on the Senior Activity List. The first is January 10 which will bring about the Senior-New Senior Party. The second and more important one is our graduation day which will be on January 25 at ten o'clock. Thus with the arrival of graduation our happy days of school life terminate.

Class Day

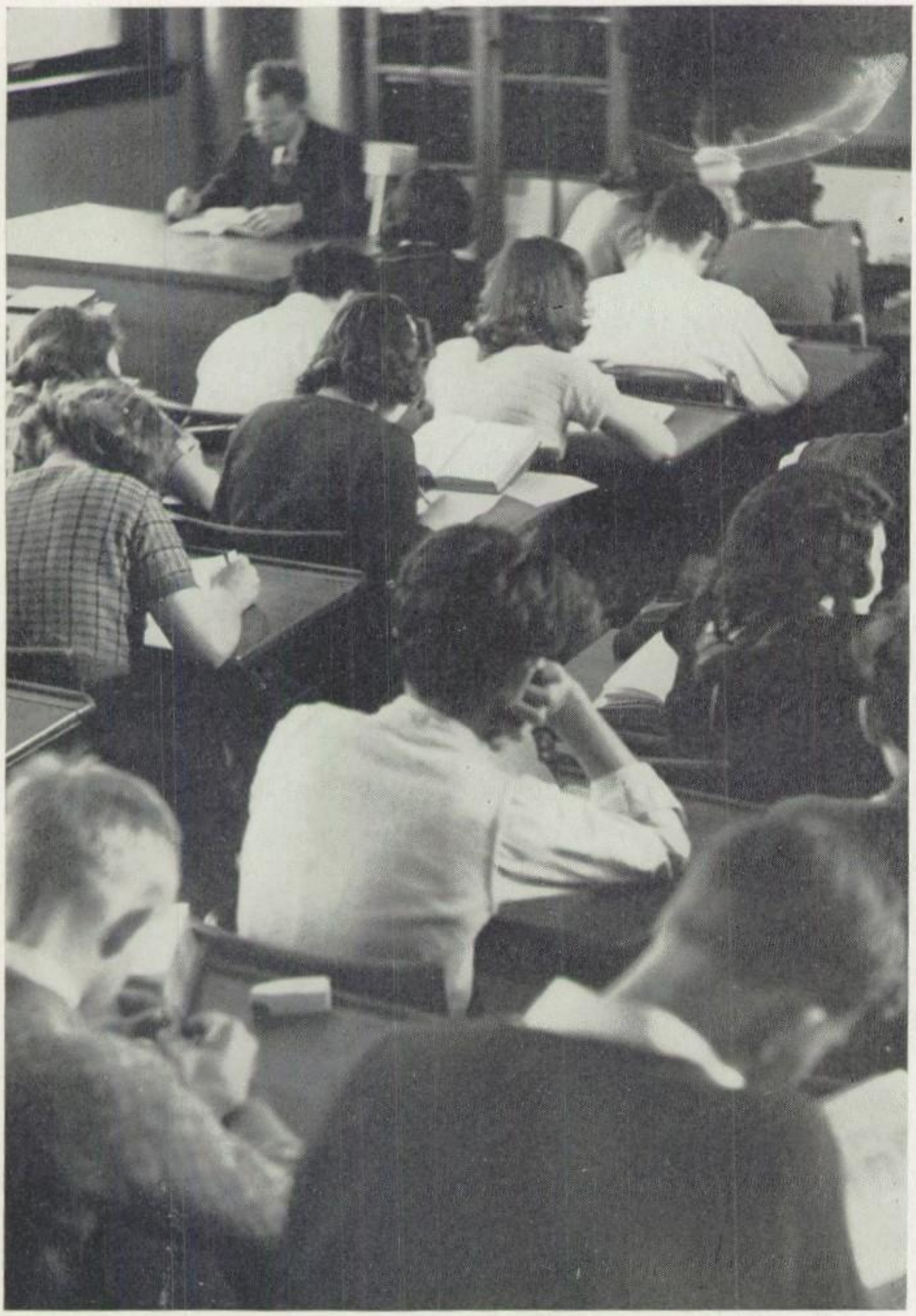
Class Day is a memorable occasion and one which will long be remembered by all Seniors. On December 8, the class day exercises were held for the January graduating class of 1939. Boys and girls formed couples on the second floor and proceeded upstairs to the auditorium. There they were given the class ribbons by Miss Ernst and Mr. Holden. After they had taken their places the curtain was parted revealing the class pennant. A short speech was given by the Senior president, John B. Lafata, in which he presented the class to Miss Ernst. After Miss Ernst had spoken, the class prophecy was read. The informal prognostication was given in a short skit formed by five members of Miss M. Smith's talented advisory. The destinies were of a very wide variety. Those of the boys ranged from hosiery salesmen to bankers, while those of the girls from secretaries to famous dress designers. The class day program was concluded with a dance in the girls gym.



Chapter Two

CLASSES

The Seniors leave behind them, the lower classmen to carry the torch for Blewett, to make a greater name for the school; to follow the precedent set by the graduating classes; to leave their footprints on the sands of time.



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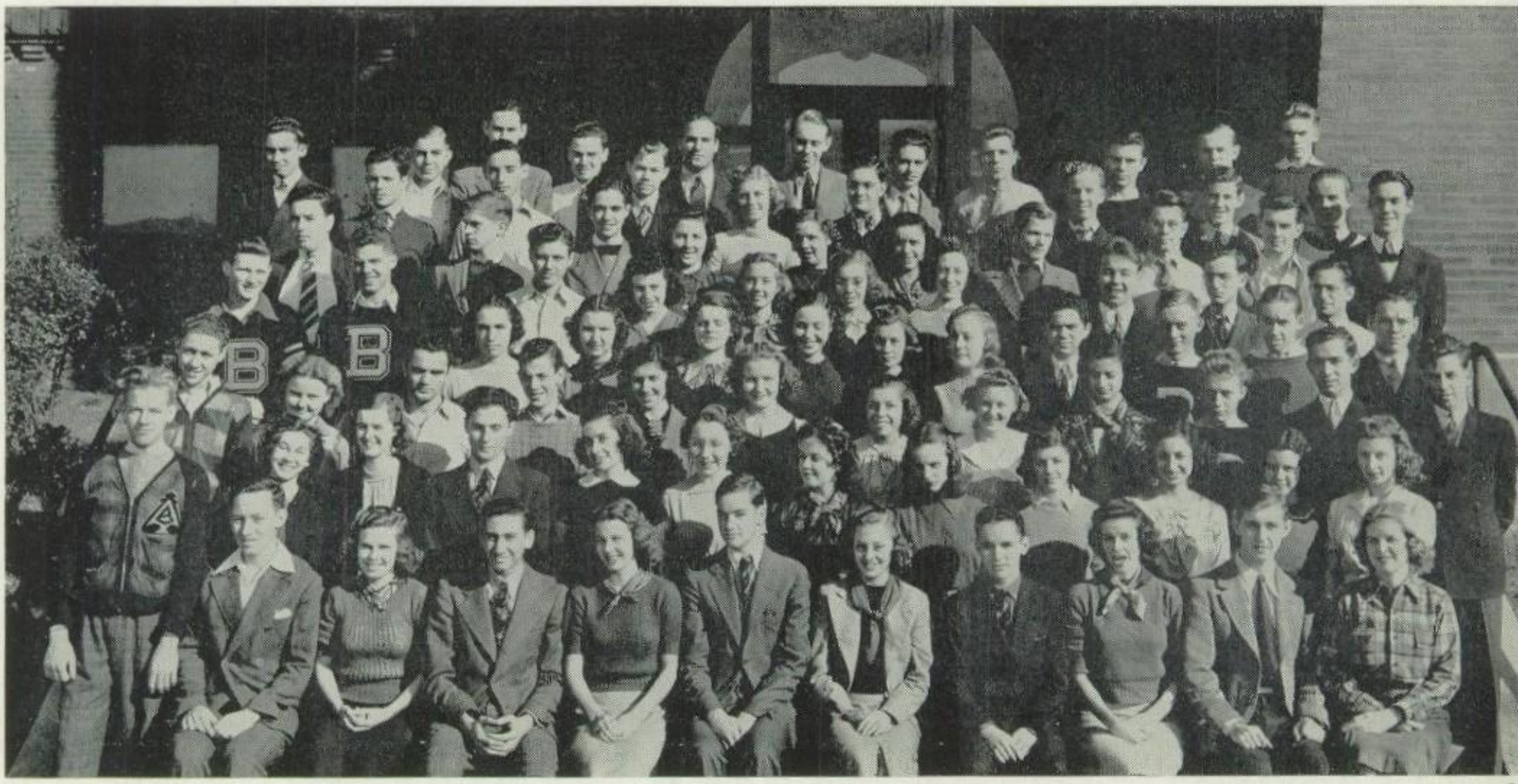
Martin Abramovitz
Alexander Acosta
Mary Alexandres
Arnold Alper
Earl Amann
Hyman Balk
Johanna Balla
Warren Barrett
Juanita Bartels
Elaine Bassett
Celia Bassinson
Paul Baum
Anne Bayha
Bill Bechtold
William S. Beggs
Rae Bennett
Dorothy Bloth
Bob Braun
Roy Brock
William Brodhead
Doris Brown
Frank Buesse
Nathan Burack
Tom Burke
George Burton
Jack Carrico
Helen Carroll
Charlotte Cassel
Harold Clark
James Clifford
Elise Cliver
James Cody
Betty Comfort
Margaret Coons
Edward Corno
Harold Covitz
Joella Dains
Ruth E. Davis
Virginia Deggendorf
Harry Dependahl
Patricia Detchemendy
Edward Duncan
Catherine Eagan
Mary Eggers
Deborah Ehrlich
Eddie Evans
Lester Evans
Jeanette Freeman
Darvin Friedland
Elmer Michael Gallard
Bill Gardiner
James Gardner
Wanda Garrett
Herman Gellman
Nina Giesler
Beth Godfrey
Bill Goeke
Minna Goza
Norma Haberman
Perry Hanson
Bernard Harrington
Kathleen Hartnell
Charlotte Heddell
Warren Helberg
Lois Himmelmann
Vernon Hoerath
Dorothy Horgan
Jake Jacobs
Clarence S. James
Charles Jamieson
Martha Jakubiak
George K. Johnson
Helene Johnson
Marion L. Jolliffe
Arthur Kaley
Sidney Kandel
Florence Karwowski
Virginia Kerner
Albert Ketcher
Bob King
Henry Kisslinger
Mildred Koch
John Kohler



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Viola Krah
Oscar Kreitler
Jerry Lake
Russell LaVigne
Russell Lampe
Betty Lane
Dorothy Lane
Harold Lehr
Wilbur Leipziger
Meyer Lemcovitz
Estelle Lerman
Edith Loesche
Frances Maguire
Bob Mahon
Regina Maher
Doris Marx
Jane Mathews
Austin McCormick
Harriet McCord
Bill McClurken
Mary Michalas
Stanley Mitleider
James Miles
Mildred Moncrief
Elizabeth Moore
Thayer Morris
Helen Mosbacher
Marie Mottin
Bill Murdock
Jean Murray
William H. Murphy
Anna Neaman
Dorothy O'Leary
Helen O'Leary
Grace Olmsted

Eugene Overbee
James Pasley
Sam Patane
Jim Pevirotto
Clifford Portz
Rebecca Port
Virginia Powers
Ruth Prell
Marian Queen
Virginia Quinn
Bernice Raim
Virginia Reynolds
Helen Recker
Inez Rickher
Morris Rothman
Warren Ruediger
Richard Ryder
Betty Lee Sagner
Myrtle Sandstedt
Gertrude Schramm
James Shotwell
Leon Schwartz
Ruth Score
Jean Sewell
Robert Sheils
Carlye Sievers
Mai Smith
Judy Smith
Frank Smith
Jay Spilker
Jack Stanton

Dorothy Stephens
Jack Steele
Eleanor Lee Stiller
Maryellen Stillman
Mary Stone
Edward Sweeney
Dolores Swisher
Arnold Thompson
Phil Timpone
Duke Turner
Grace Ulrich
Carl Unverferth
James Vangelos
Harold Vito
Beulah Warfel
Bill Weaver
Gloria Webb
Margaret Weinhold
Morris Weinstein
Phoebe West
Mary Jane Westphale
Richard Whitesell
Jerry Williams
Audrey Wilson
Dan Windle
Marion Wolpert
Glen Woofter
Robert Young
Mary Jane Yucenski
Leon Zemliak
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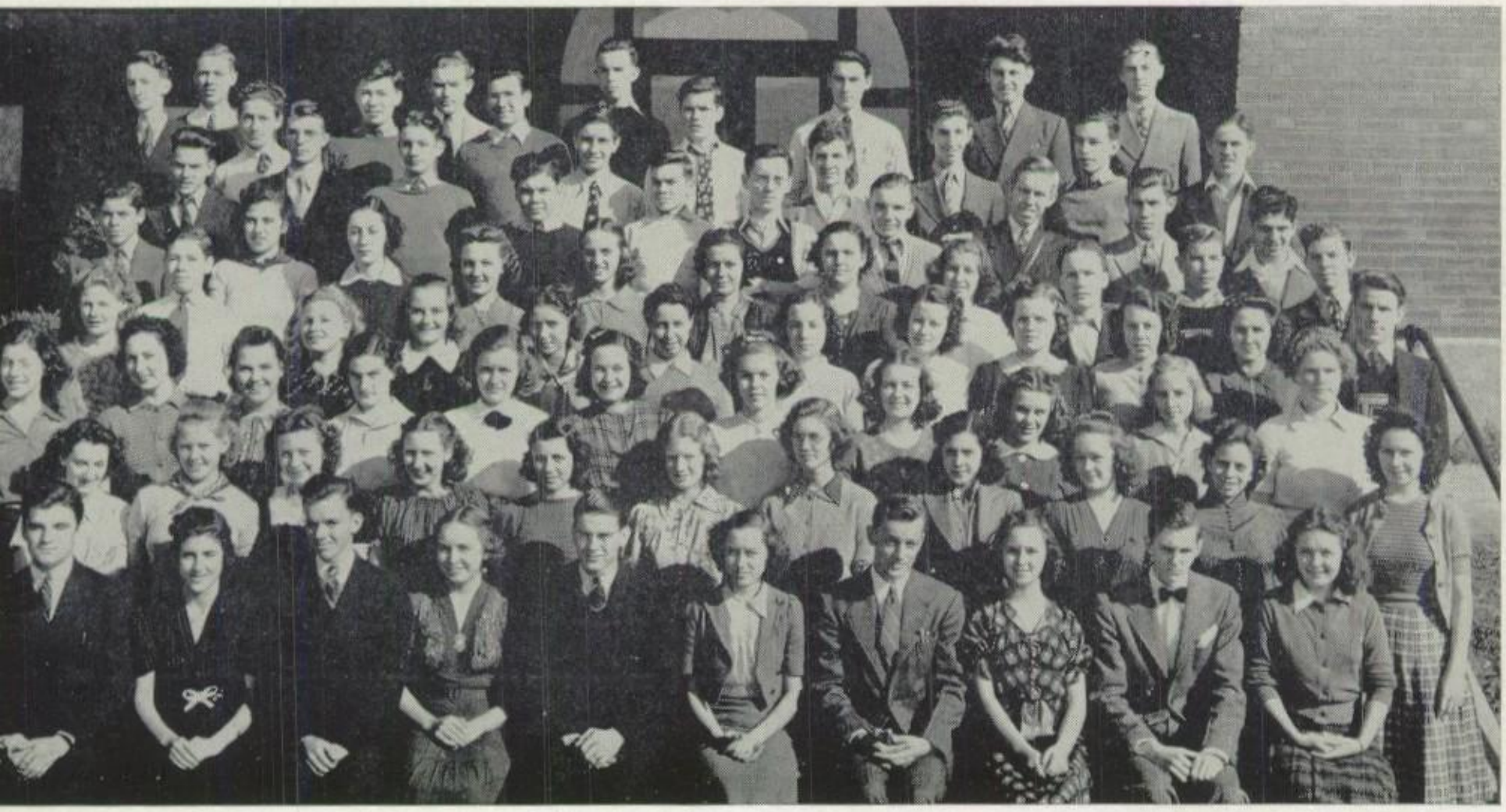

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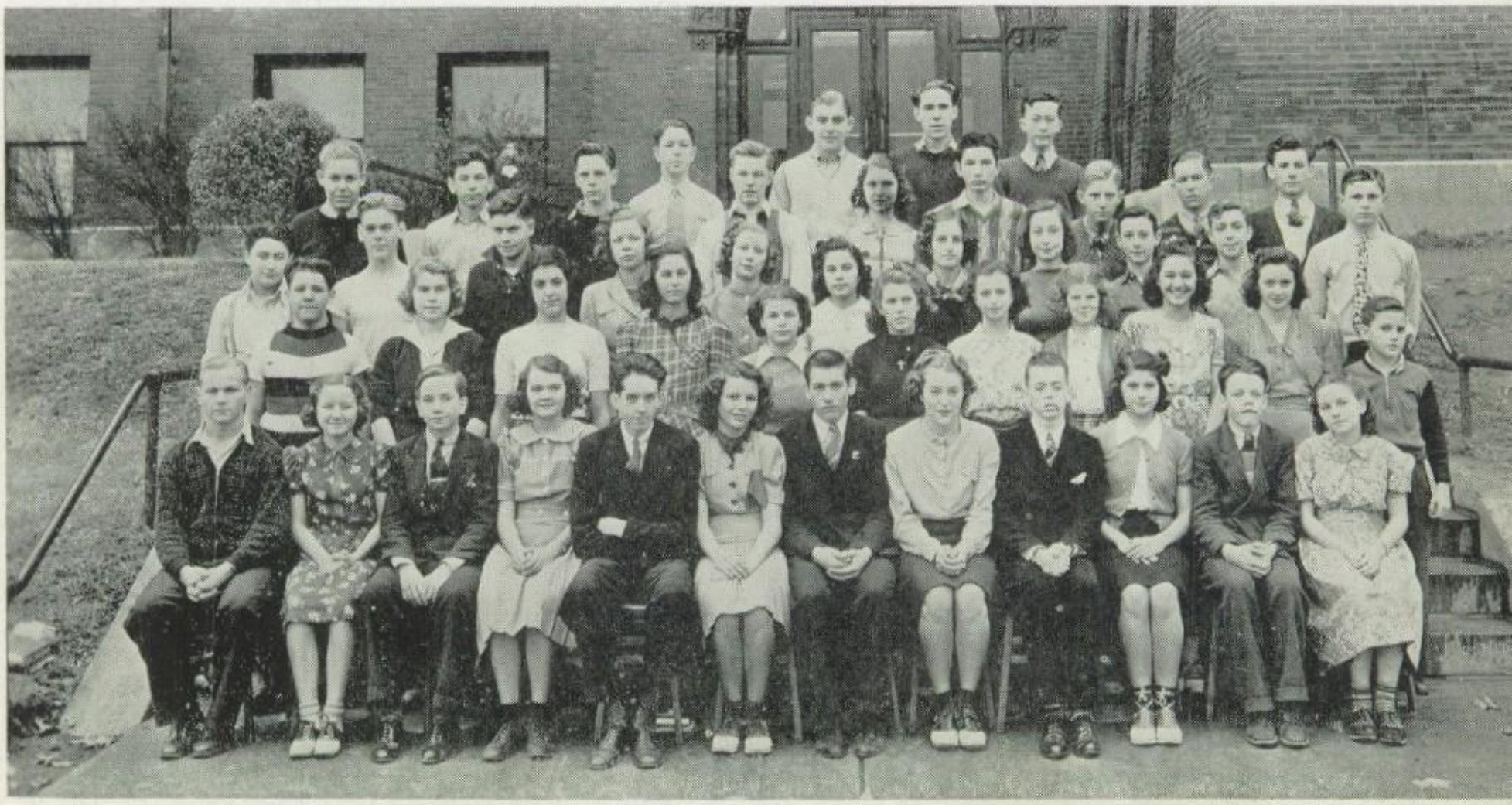

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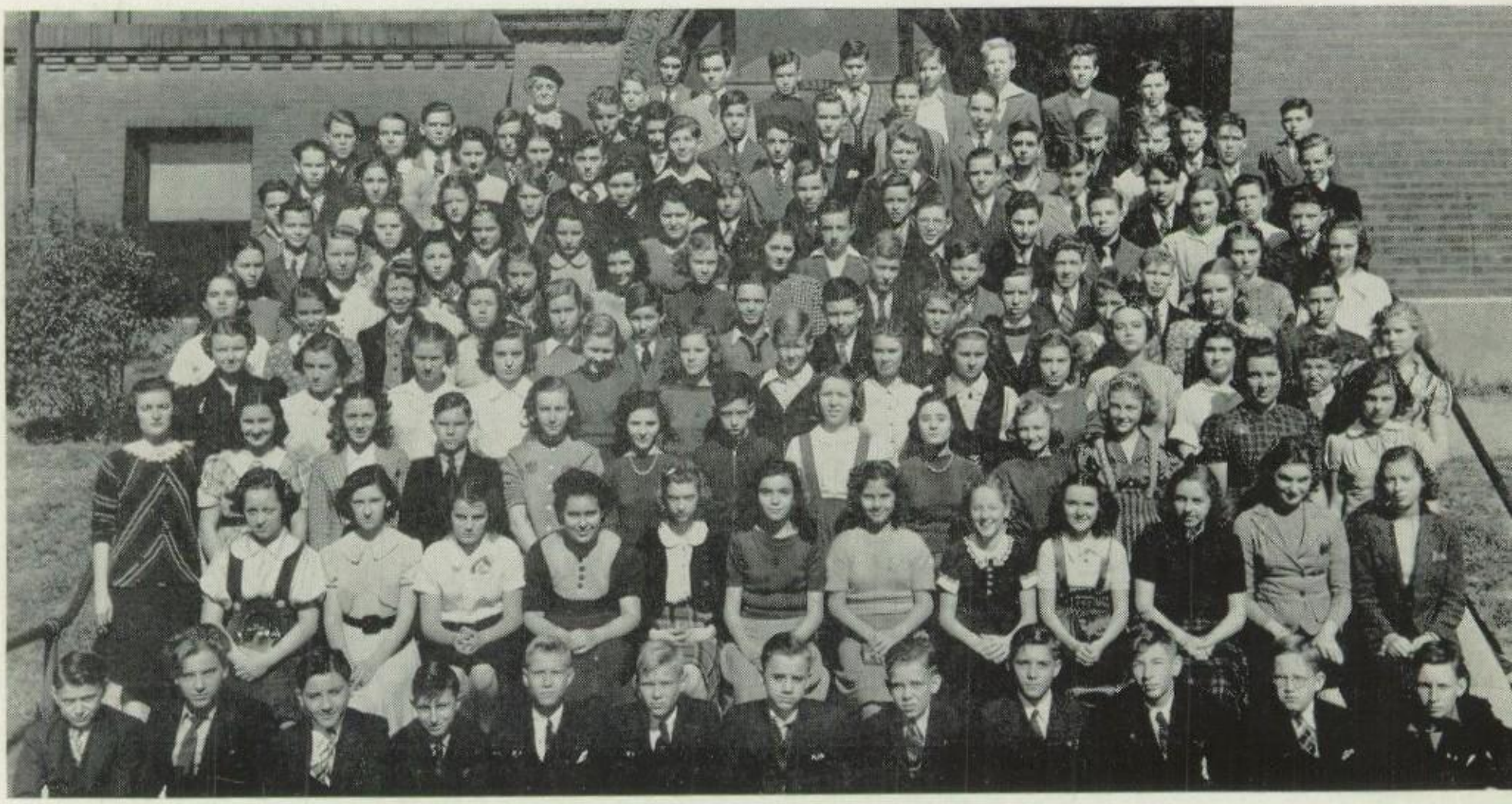

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CLUBS

An important factor in further-ing education at Blewett is club life. Each club has a set and definite purpose and every member strives to complete the club program.

BLOWETT
GYM CLUB

Blewett Honors

HONOR STUDENTS

Blewett is proud of her honor roll students. These are the pupils who, for five or more consecutive grading periods from June, 1938, have been honor students. Only those who receive grades of "E" or "G" in each of their studies are entitled to be listed in the bulletin printed at the end of each five-week grading period.

GYM CLUB

One of the youngest but probably the fastest-growing organizations of Blewett is the Boys Gym Club. This organization has accomplished a great deal in its few years of existence. In March, 1938, the team took first place in a city-wide contest, its members receiving first, second, third, and fifth places in the individual rating. The trophy that is now in our possession must be won two more times before we can truly say it is ours. This club meets every Tuesday and Friday after school, and its members have the privilege of using the gym from eight until eight-thirty every morning for practice.

It is truly said, "Golden hours of vision come to us in this present life when we are at our best, and our faculties work together in harmony."

SPECIAL MUSIC CLASSES

During the past term the special music groups have taken part in many programs, some of which have been a presentation on the Public Schools Series Programs over Station WEW. A special program was given for a city-wide Mothers' Club meeting which was given in the Blewett Auditorium. Following this program the group sang on the National Church of the Air over Station KMOX on a national hookup. The following week the choir sang with the Soldan Chorus in the Auditorium at one of the St. Louis Symphony Concerts. The choir also gave its usual Christmas program for the Blewett students. A select group of fifty is to sing with groups from Soldan and Central at the Symphony "Pop" Concert in February.

HONOR STUDENTS

Top row: Tolpen, Doss, Schneider, Zytowski, Shank, Brenner, Meyer, Kesslinger.
Row Three: Schaefer, Grisham, Score, Latham, Elkins, Langham, Helberg, Phillips.
Row Two: Ayers, Ryan, Michalas, Sotier, Krugman, Herrman, Schuster, Tohtz, Schacter.
Row One: Bressler, McGhee, Klosterhoff, M. McGhee, H. Bressler, Jakubiak, Cherrick, Leilich, Hayes, Schuyler.

THE BROCHURE STAFF

We the Staff of the January '39 Brochure, wish to express our sincere thanks to the faculty and to the student body for their co-operation in the effort to make this Brochure the best possible result of those efforts. We have tried to please the majority in every way possible and trust that we have succeeded. Thank you, again.

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BOYS GLEE CLUB

The Boys Glee Club, this term, has taken part in two radio broadcasts as well as the Symphony Concert. The first broadcast was given over Station WEW in the Public School Series of programs on Sunday afternoons. The second broadcast took place over Station KMOX on a coast-to-coast hookup, this program being the Church of the Air also on Sunday afternoon. The Glee Club's appearance with the mixed chorus chosen by the members of the Symphony Orchestra will sing in a Pop Concert in February. Although Mr. Perrine, the director, was ill at the time, the Blewett Chorus went forward with favorable comments.

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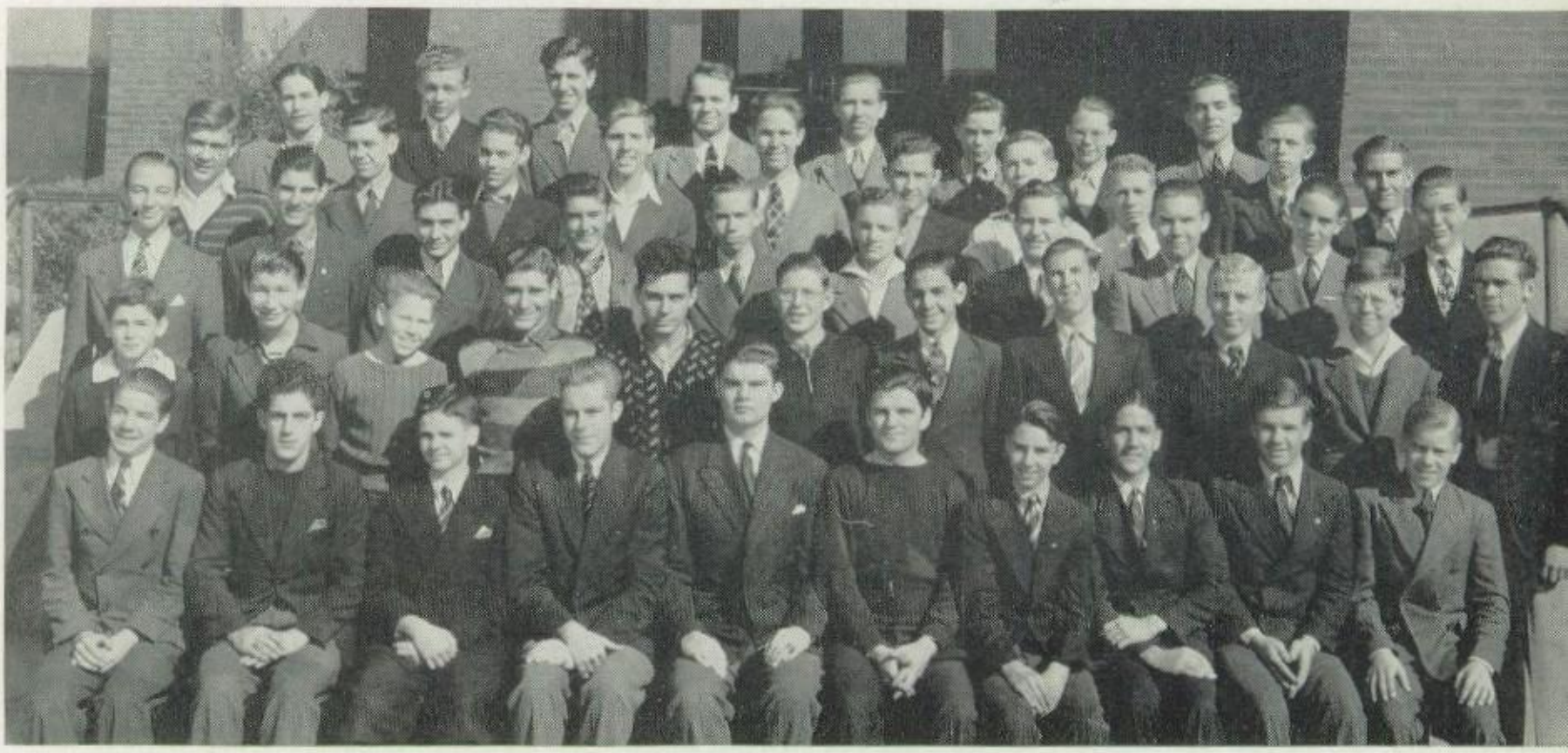
Row Two: Schoenfeld, McDorvell, Frame, Frieda, Vicoli, Lineback, Rosenthal, Ryan, Rogker, Simpson, Blackard.
Row One: Vail, Sansone, Finney, McCourtney, Hodgman, Mahon, Bradford, Vainiko, McClary, Thaller.



GIRLS GLEE CLUB

EMMY LOU FARRINGTON
President

VIRGINIA DOLAN
Vice President

GRACE LEVY
Secretary

The Girls Glee Club, under the sponsorship of Mr. Hahnel, is devoted to woman choral work. Those girls above the fourth term not only have the advantage of this club but also get credit for the time involved. The club meets daily, and the members learn to control as well as modulate the voice, and bring out every wish of beauty in it.

Top row: Lyon, Gier, Moore, Bandy, Bennett, Glenn, Firman, Mr. Hahnel, Coshow, Newman, McCord.
Row Seven: Broomhall, Gierden, Womack, Duncan, Foley, Schuster, Michalas, Cunniff, Chuchian, Caplin, Jacobs.
Row Six: Nolan, Phillips, Houghton, Clifford, Cody, Walker, Lanning, Castro, Militello, Davidson.
Row Five: Mauck, Bechtold, Ireland, Recker, Marshall, Mugge, Rose, Johns, Welsh, McDonough, Lightsinger, Davis.
Row Four: P. Davidson, Adams, Ballard, Sheridan, Phelan, McCollen, Prell, Novack, Herrmann, Whittle, Thomas, Brann, Brennan.
Row Three: Kramer, Phillips, Poston, Latham, Ballard, Boulware, Hughes, Komlose, Long, Alt, Wilson.
Row Two: Dial, Kinsel, Bass, Hanson, Perricone, Murray, Pallardy, Ludwig, Polsan, Wolosky, Weight, Steele, Garvelman.
Row One: Herring, Olsen, Salmeri, Levy, Dolan, Farrington, Warne, Burgdorf, Dailing, SanSoucie, Ault, Kellerhals.

VOICE CLASS

The Voice Class, under the direction of Mr. Perrine, consists of approximately seventy advanced students, meeting every day the third period. The group is trained in the finer aspects of choral music and include in their repertoire many well known compositions. During the illness of their regular conductor, they were coached by Mr. Hahnel and David Thornton.

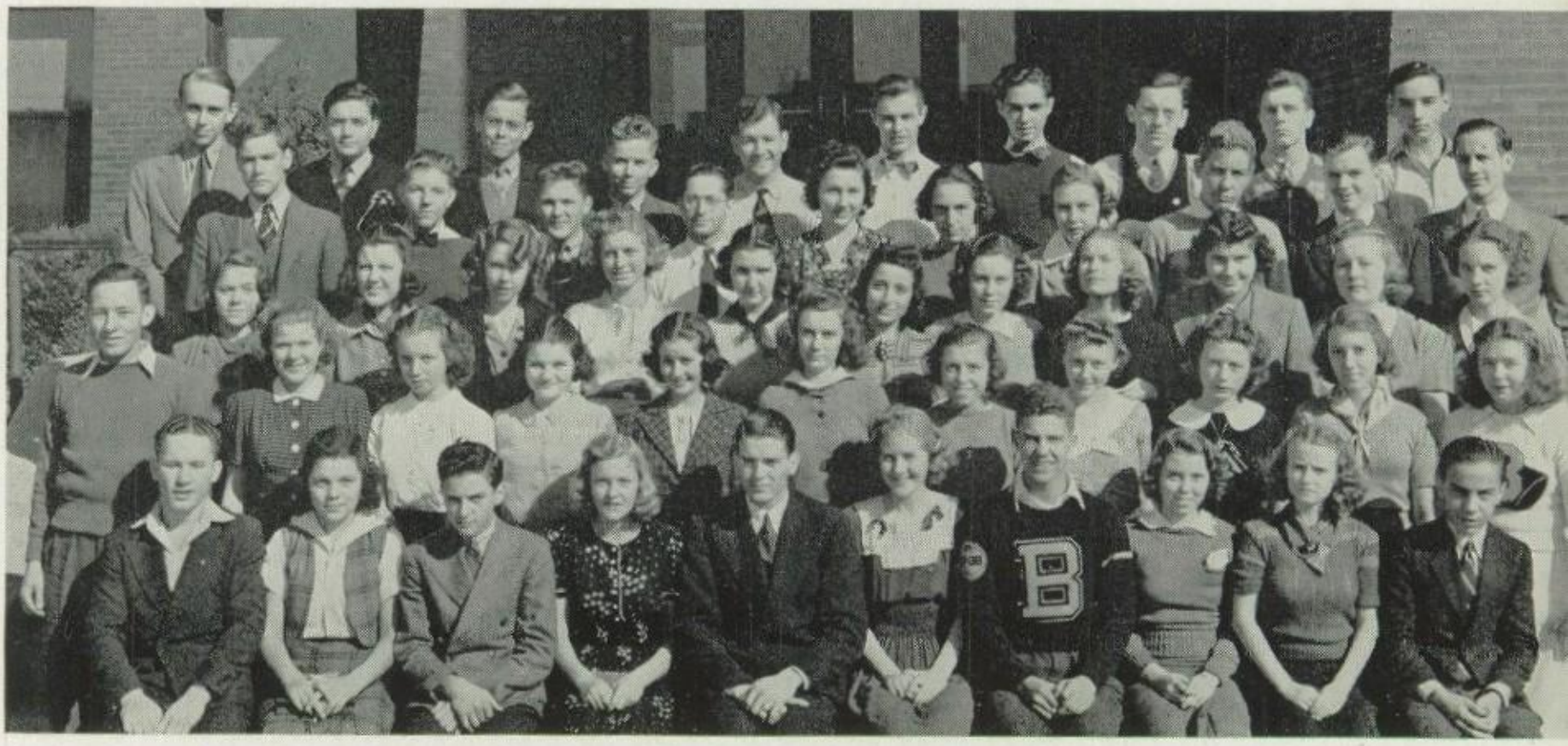
Among the programs that the class has appeared in with the collaboration of other groups is a broadcast over Station WEW, another national broadcast over KMOX, and with the St. Louis Symphony.

MARY BRITTAIN
President

ARTHUR KALEY
Vice President

PERRY HANSON
Secretary and Treasurer

Row Five: Zytowski, Murdock, Hoppe, Miller, Rea, Conway, Weinstein, Lehr, Sheils, Zemliak.
Row Four: Dependahl, Nethelhorst, Smith, Alper, Kerner, Prell, McCloud, Borcherts, Carrico, Parsons.
Row Three: Yinger, McCotter, Downing, Recker, Marx, Laury, Lotz, Thurman, Cassimatis, Reynolds, Marx.
Row Two: Acosta, Ford, Thurman, Mahon, Ragsdaly, Coron, Ulrich, Garrett, Rickher, Counts, Bartels.
Row One: Abramovitz, DuFrenne, Dallavalle, Sotier, Hanson, Brittain, Kaley, Whitmore, Garrett, Rudert.



Nineteen Thirty-Nine

A CAPPELLA CHOIR

DORIS TULLY
President

GENE SEWELL
Vice President

TREVA HOMAN
Secretary and Treasurer

This chorus of mixed voices, under the direction of Mr. Perrine, takes part in the various music programs both in and out of school.

The first high-light of the season was a broadcast, under the direction of Mr. Hahnel due to the illness of Mr. Perrine, over radio station WEW Sunday, November 13. The second appearance was a broadcast on a nation wide hook-up over KMOX Sunday, November 20.

Wednesday, November 23, the members of this chorus, combined with the other music organizations of Blewett, sang at a concert at which Vladimir Golschmann, conductor of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, was present. Blewett hopes to be chosen from among the other public high schools to sing at a concert with the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.

Top row: Hopton, Tversky.
Row Eight: Grossblig, Sievers, Gilbane, Lehmann, Watson, Ryan, Crawford, Redel, Hoffmann, Tighe, Kramer.
Row Seven: Komm, McGroarty, Groce, Weatherly, Sweeney, Weinstein, Dameworth, Braun, Scanga, Robert.
Row Six: Palmer, Movley, Alexandres, Wynn, McLafferty, Bales, Schaefer, Woofter, Pfanstiel, Fiorito, Heddell.
Row Five: Stiller, McNab, Herrmon, James, Knouelin, Morris, Nugent, Smith, Townsend, Williams.
ow Four: Dixon, Houk, Mullarkey, Wood, Thompson, Wood, Zelenovich, Hankins, Noonan, Appelman, Moore, Hicks, Mills.
Row Three: Bailey, Watkins, Anderson, Smith, Hays, Loesche, Powell, Luepke, Pearl, Adams, Pease, Widbin.
Row Two: Heuring, Milton, Spear, Schaefer, Ossman, Clevenger, Roch, Burke, Barger, Wood, Sabol, Burton.
ow One: Greenslade, Herlovine, Kelleher, Becherer, Combs, Tully, Sewell, Vinsonhaler, Homan, Quaite, Maltzman, Broughton.

SOCIAL SERVICE WORKERS

The Social Service work of our school for this term has far exceeded that of any other term in enrollment, spirit and production. With the cooperation of the many advisory groups, the faculty and the Mothers Circle, the workers hope to continue to keep on growing in service to others and in the number of workers. They are now 140 strong.

With the needlework offering resulting in the largest contribution ever given in the school and perhaps the largest in the Junior Group of the city, and a generous offering of food, money and tray favors for Thanksgiving, the Blewett group has made a wonderful start this year. We have been busy, too.

As this goes to press, the club has plunged into Christmas activities, filling stockings, making and dressing dolls, making scrapbooks, animals, and other toys.

All girls willing to give one hour a week to some service to others are urged to join. No dues, no experience necessary. The meetings are held on Monday and any other night convenient to the members. The club wishes to take this opportunity to thank one and all for their splendid support and encouragement.

Row Six: Miss Forbes, Koehler, Krah, Karwowski, Cliver, Armstrong, Nuckols, Long, Newman, Shuster.
Row Five: Reis, Haas, Greenslade, Hays, Kelleher, Foley, McCarthy, Downing, Jolliffe, Maize, Kuhlman.
Row Four: Kothe, Nolan, Jones, Heil, Elkins, Herring, Novack, Statler, Klein, Dust, Alexanders, Leilich, Aubuchon.
Row Three: Lucy, Adams, Barger, Yinger, Stillman, Stephens, Burke, Corley, Sullivan, Sievers, Aubuchon, Saunders.
Row Two: Spear, Byrne, Adams, Ruan, Nissen, Green, Johnson, Herren, Koehler, Constantinides, Constantinides O. Ehrhardt, Sullivan.
Row One: Jones, Deggendorf, Laupp, Ayers, Herrman, Jakubiak, Brandt, Mendelsohn, Zeller, Tabor.

Nineteen Thirty-Nine

GIRLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

VIRGINIA DOLAN
President

JUANITA BARTELS
Vice President

ANNE BAYHA
Secretary Treasurer

MISS COULTAS
MISS HAACK
MISS WOOD
Sponsors

The Girls Athletic Association is an all-year-round club which engages in various seasonal sports. The fall term activities are hockey, basketball, tennis, and aerial darts. Tournaments are held in each sport.

Points are earned toward the G. A. A. letter for service as a leader and an officer, for membership on a winning team, and for attendance.

A letter was awarded to Anne Bayha this term for having earned one thousand points during three years of active participation in the various sports.

Row Five: Miss Coultas, Schuster, Micholas, Levy, Evans, Schramm, Knowles, Miss Haack, James, Miss Wood.
Row Four: Moore, Caplin, Noonan, Port, Reed, Firman, Davidson, Smith, Woodruff, Ehrlich, Deggendorf.
Row Three: Garvelman, Koeneker, Brueckner, Carroll, Yucenski, Moses, Hall, Duncan, Dorbarakis, Smyrniotis, McGee, Harrison.
Row Two: Moses, Beauchamp, Herrman, Dial, Ring, Loesche, Cullen, McCord, Rose, Jones, Saunders, Jaco, Spear.
Row One: Ault, Shuttleworth, Donnelly, Murray, Lange, Bayha, Dolan, Frazer, Stein, Adrian, Bartels.

GIRLS PEP CLUB

Yeah Blewett
Yeah High
Yeah Yeah
Blewett High

This is the way the Girls Pep Club shows its enthusiasm, under the sponsorship of Miss Schlutius. The club has approximately 80 members to help arouse school spirit, by selling tickets to help support our teams financially or otherwise, for basketball and baseball games, for swimming contests or track meets. They, too, help the cheer leaders guide the yells.

The Girls Pep Club is very active. Members may be recognized by their bright orange sweaters with the black and orange "Pep B" or just the orange sweater. Each member must earn her letter by securing 100 points before she is given the privilege of wearing the club's emblem.

ANNE BAYHA
President

EVELYN BRISSETTE
Vice President

HARRIET McCORD
Secretary Treasurer

JUANITA BARTELS
Point Keeper

MISS SCHLUTIUS
Sponsor

Left to right:
Row Four: Eagan, Prell, Karwowski, Herlovine, Wolpert, Marx, Jolliffe, Farrell, Stiller, Miss Schlutius.
Row Three: Nolan, Loddeke, Heckemyer, Ryan, Kelleher, Guitar, McCloud, Thompson, Phillips.
Row Two: Cohen, Spear, M. Walsh, Cullen, Stephens, S. Walsh, Constantinides, Seiver, Handon.
Row One: Beatty, Hughes, Koeneker, H. McCord, Schweppe, Brissette, Heil, Cumbarelis.
Lyons, Wood, Perricone.
Bartels Bayha

Nineteen Thirty-Nine

JUNIOR ACADEMY OF SCIENCE

THE ALEXIS CARREL CHAPTER

WARREN HELBERG
President

MARTHA JAKUBIAK
Vice President

GLORIA WEBB
Secretary

AUSTIN McCORMICK
Treasurer

The Alexis Carrel Chapter of the Junior Academy of Science was organized at Blewett last Spring. It is a charter chapter of the Junior Academy of Science of St. Louis, and is also affiliated with the Junior Academy of Science of Missouri. The aim of the Academy is to stimulate interest in all types of science. The students of the Carrel Chapter work under the direction of Mr. DeVilbiss, a biologist, and also cooperate with one another.

The Carrel Chapter holds its meetings on the first Tuesday of each month, after school, from September to June. In April an annual meeting is held at Washington University.

Top row: Kesslinger, Quinn, O'Neill, Krummenacher, Newell, Lemcovitz, Gardiner, McCord, Leonard.
Row Two: Gross, Warfel, Thurman, Castelli, Klein, Hoover, Bartels.
Row One: Koch, Cherrick, Webb, Helberg, Jakubiak, Mr. DeVilbiss, McCormick.

ICE SKATING CLUB

The Ice Skating Club, one of the oldest and largest clubs in Blewett, is again under the sponsorship of Mr. Bockelbrink.

The club with its ever increasing membership meets every Friday at the Winter Garden, or on Grand Basin in Forest Park, weather permitting.

RALPH KRUMMENACHER
President

PEGGY DAVIDSON
Vice President

BILL GARDINER
Secretary and Treasurer

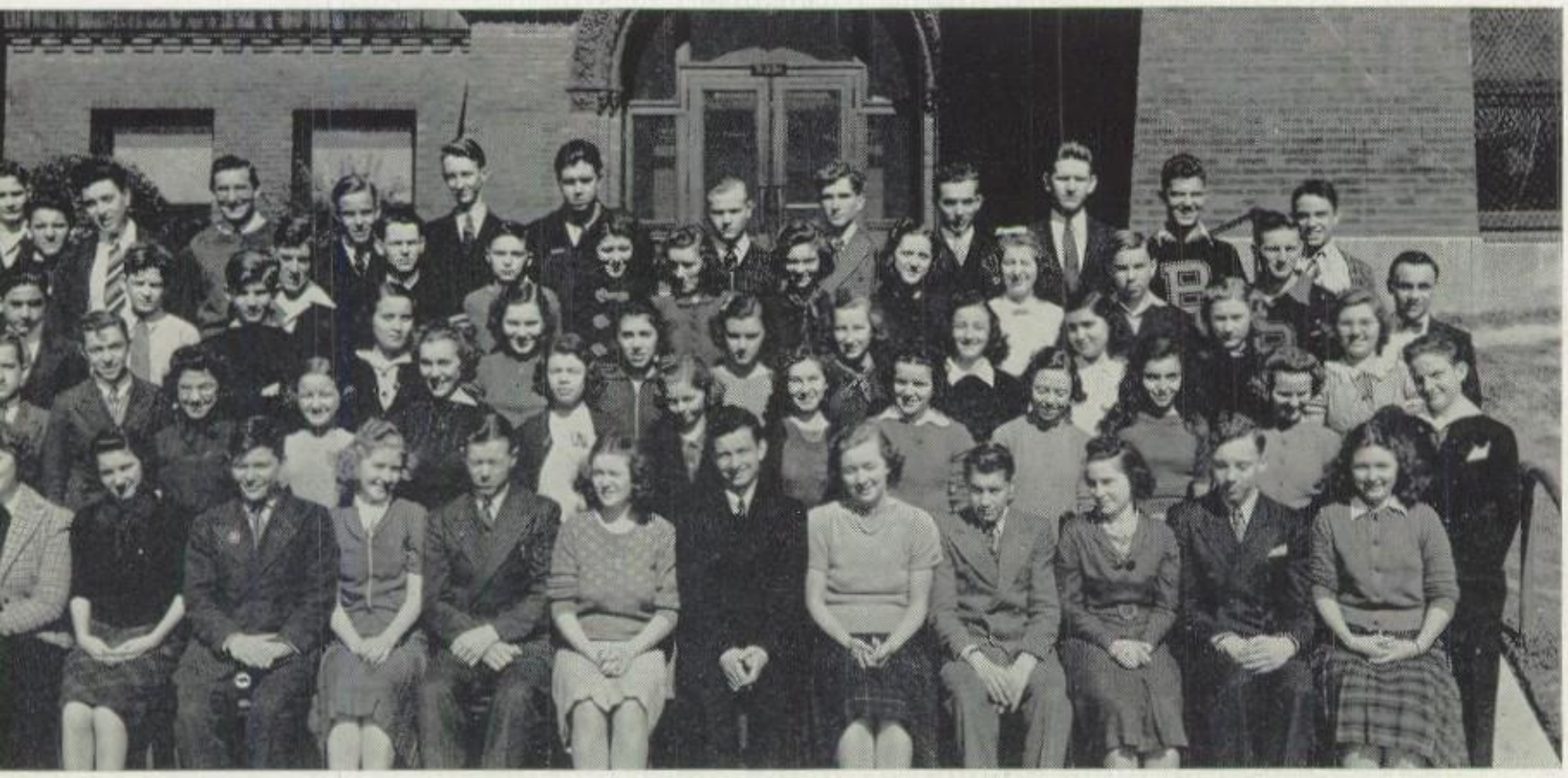
MR. BOCKELBRINK
Sponsor

Row Nine: Bradley, Heuring, Vandeventer, Hearst, Moore, Koehler, King.
Row Eight: Morris, Krueger, Sievers, Chamblin, Niehaus, McCloud, Powell, Ehrlich, Schmitz, Lafata.
Row Seven: Queen, Wissler, Alt, Firman, Smith, Kothe, Eagan, Weaver, Sievers, Ruggeri.
Row Six: Bauer, Wood, Kelleher, Thompson, James, Walker, Swisher, Phillips, Gardiner, McClary, Johnson.
Row Five: Gudermuth, Kourik, Ruediger, Portz, Brock, Farrell, Cavanagh, Knowles, Schuster, Kerner, Brueckner, Powers, Barnett, Traina.
Row Four: Dossinger, Edstrohm, Quaite, Treacy, Evans, Schrader, Ansley, Comfort, Borger, Garvelman.
Row Three: Rudert, Woofter, Heddell, Green, Long, Stiller, Balla, Maxwell, Frazer, Kappel, Dool.
Row Two: Grossberg, Stillman, Landis, Duncan, Harrison, Slachman, Brittain, Queen, Zeller, Ronald, Candela, Ault.
Row One: Bockelbrink, Noah, Krummenacher, Hall, Widbin, Jaco, Shucart, Davidson, Vahle, Davidson, Pfanstiel, Bartels, Saunders.

GRIFFIN REPORTERS AND BUSINESS MANAGERS

The GRIFFIN is well supplied with timely news of happenings at Blewett by its large staff of reporters who are always on the alert for anything out of the ordinary. The "news-hounds" are chosen from all terms on the recommendations of their English teachers. All of them are aspirants to a berth on the editorial staff of the prize-winning GRIFFIN, which explains their zealous attitude toward the unearthing of news.

The GRIFFIN owes a debt of gratitude to its business managers who handle the selling of the paper so well. One is chosen from each advisory group in the school. The business manager's duty is to collect for the GRIFFIN and distribute the editions in the group which he or she represents.



Top row: Licare, McAtee, Gellman, Lemcovitz, Ford, McClurkan, Becker, Tversky, Tohtz, Patane, Vahle, Kaley, Sabol.
ow Four: Meisinger, Schachter, Lewis, Williams, Finlay, Cronin, Doss, Hildebrand, Westphale, Mooney, Evans, Farini.
Row Three: Rosenthal, Bridges, Edwards, Evans F., Keller, Wientge, Jones, Cohen, Constantinides, Brann, McCord.
ow Two: Cherrick, Kaiser, Altman, Dial, Keppler, Warne, Corley, Raim, Dolan, Krugman, Mendelsohn, O'Brien, Johnson.
Row One: Farrell, Rudman, Cook, Britta'n, Reed, Webb, Edwards, Thompson, Foster, Brissette, Sowles, Bartels.

THE SADDLE-SPUR CLUB

To horse, tally-ho! Away ride the equestrians, not through field and glen, however, but around the spacious track at the Missouri Stables and the bridle paths of Forest Park.

The Horsemanship Club, or The Saddle-Spur, as it has been renamed by popular vote, is sponsored by Mrs. Rothman and Miss Pauls, and boasts fifteen active members. The meetings are held every Tuesday, rain or shine, at the Missouri Stables. Each week the girls receive instruction from professional riders. There have been a few tumbles, but they have merely added a little spice to the afternoon's program, and there have been no serious results. This new club has proven so interesting that its members invite you to join them next term in many hours of fun.

ANNA LEE GLENN
President

ANN VINSONHALER
Secretary-Treasurer

MRS. ROTHMAN and
MISS PAULS
Sponsors

Glenn, Borger, Wilson, Koehler, Moore, Bender, Wolpert.
Homan, Roeder, Powell, Vinsonhaler, McCord, Westphale.

THE ORCHESTRA

The Orchestra consists of fifty active members. Paul Roth is president with no supporting officers. The activities of the club are mainly to play for school dances and auditorium sessions. Once a term the orchestra gives one big event which is usually a musical auditorium session. The orchestra is composed of violins, chello, bass fiddles, guitars, banjos, trumpets, and piano. Members range from Freshmen to Seniors with no term distinction.

The orchestra meets every day the seventh hour and often before and after school. Mr. Hahnel is the conductor.

acks, Bernard, Candela, Clifford, Cook, Evans, Falsetti, Gori, Grimis, Grimes, Hall, Haupt, Hight, upp, Ivazes, Kappel, Kasten, Larew, Louks, Machos, Norton, Pfleger, Ray, Reed, Ring, Ronald, Roth, usso, Saigh, Saunders, Schwartz, Slachman, Stiller, Stillman M., Stillman N., Stone, Stone B., Stone W., Torrini, Turner, Vainiko, Vander-Maden, Westphale.

DRAMATIC GUILD

The Dramatic Guild, recently organized at Blewett, has already proven the great possibilities of such a group in the fields of aesthetics and entertainment.

The object of this group is to give opportunities to Blewett students interested in self-expression and the higher aspects of the theatre.

The Guild is at present under the sponsorship of eight faculty members. These are: Miss Coultas, Miss Crecelius, Miss Forsythe, Miss Maus, Miss Mulholland, Miss H. Smith, Miss M. Smith and Miss Thias.

Row Six: Miss Maus, Carrico, Zytowski, Sievers, Miss Forsythe, Miss Mulholland, Miss Thias.
Row Five: Warne, Farrington, Cronin, Miss Crecelius, Miss Smith, Miss Ernst, Miss M. Smith, Miss Coultas.
Row Four: Brann, Hoover, Prell, Caplin, Balla, Duckworth, Kerner, Leipziger, Bartlow, Hodgman, McClurken.
Row Three: Port, Cohen, Marx, Maltzman, Goza, Downing, Friedman, Woolter, McCormick, Clifford.
Row Two: Hicks, Mullarkey, Himmelmann, Sandstedt, Wartel, Ulrich, Hartnell, Jolliffe, Saigh, Murdock.
Row One: O'Brien, Ward, Raim, Koch, Coons, Goldman, Roeder, Krugman, Powell, Visonhaler, Schuyler.

WORLD TRAVELERS CLUB

TSY WOOD
President

ONA SHUTTLEWORTH
Vice President

ARTHA JAKUBIAK
Secretary

OB MEHL
Treasurer

LLY O'NEIL
Sergeant at Arms

The World Travelers Club was organized October 27, 1938, under the sponsorship of Miss Rowan. The purpose of the Club is to create and promote an interest in travel and to better acquaint the members with our "Amazing World." The meetings are held every Wednesday morning at 7:30, and the programs are varied according to the interests of the members. Motion pictures are shown and various members of the club give talks about the countries shown. Another feature of the club work is the correspondence carried on with boys and girls in foreign lands.

Row Four: Stergos, Sowles, Whitesell, Kalman, Henleben, Glover, Cassimatis, Wood.
ow Three: Miss Rowan, Walsh, Davis, Ackermann, Klein, Gierden, O'Brien, Herrman, Cumbarelis, Whitmore.
Row Two: Smith, Statler, Wagner, West, Rickher, Smith, Mullarkey, Smith, Herrman, Poston.
Row One: Bales, Boulware, O'Neill, Shuttleworth, Jakubiak, Wood, Mehl, Green, Kasten, Olsen.

BOYS RIFLE CLUB

The Boys Rifle Club, organized at Blewett in October, 1934, under the sponsorship of Mr. Glick, is a member of the National Rifle Association and the Greater St. Louis Rifle Club League.

During the fall and winter, the Greater St. Louis Rifle Club League sponsors rifle matches between the following high schools: Blewett, Cleveland, Christian Brothers College, Country Day, John Burroughs, University City, Beaumont, Webster Groves, and Western Military Academy.

Judging from the gradual but continued improvement of its team, Blewett should make a very creditable showing in league competition this year, although this is only the second year of experience for the majority of the members of the team.

HAROLD CLARK
President

JOHN COOK
Vice President

CHARLES GOLDMAN
Secretary

CARL FIORITA
Assistant Secretary

JOE PORTER
Treasurer

LEROY BROCK
Team Captain

MR. GLICK
Sponsor

Top row: Joe Porter, Dan Bernard, Bob Irwin.
Second row: Charles Reed, Norman McClinack, Edwin Henleben, Bill Parsons, Clifford Portz, James Miles
First row: Charles Goldman, Leroy Brock, Charles Geiger, John Cook, Harold Clark, Carl Fiorita, Mr. Glick, Sponsor.

THE GOLF TEAM

CHARLES JAMIESON - - - - - - - - - - Captain
MISS FITZSIMMONS - - - - - - - - - - Sponsor

The Blewett golf team finished the 1938 Public High School Golf Tournament in second place, behind the team from Cleveland High. This is an especially good showing because every player with the exception of Charles Jamieson, the captain, will return for next year's squad.

In the first round Blewett was third with a 337 score but in the second eighteen holes they shot the lowest score, 322, for a total of 659, four strokes ahead of Beaumont. Clarence Hartwig was low man for Blewett in both rounds and tied for third in the tournament. He was paced by Paul Groerich, who shot 161 for the thirty-six holes.

Letters were awarded to Hartwig, Groerich, Robert Thompson, Vernon King, and Jamieson.

LEADERS CLUB

The Leaders Club was organized at the beginning of this term and the members were selected by Miss Haack and Miss Wood.

The duties of the leaders is to help with technique practice and in refereeing games. The following girls are leaders: Anne Bayha, Dorothy Brueckner, Corinne Cullen, Bessie Dial, Virginia Dolan, Fern Evans, Dorothy Farrell, Dora Harrison, Dorothy Koeneker, Anita Smith, and Marion Wolpert. The girls in this club may earn points toward the G.A.A. letter in this way.

Continued membership in this club requires advanced knowledge of game rules and technique and excellent service as a leader and a referee.

It is expected that this club will become a very important one in the Physical Education department.

CHEER LEADERS

Kneeling Right: Bartels.
Kneeling Left: Bayha.
Perricone, Green, Blackard, Hayes, Beatty.

The cheer leaders support all athletics, arouse enthusiasm in aud sessions and create a feeling of fellowship between the student body and the teams. The places vacated by last term's graduation have been filled as follows: Bill Blackard, regular; Mildred Beatty, Evelyn Perricone, Manne Green and John Hayes as subs; Juanita Bartels and Austin McCormick retain their positions as regulars, while Anne Bayha has moved from sub to regular. This term Anne has also attained the position of Captain. Her assistant is Juanita Bartels. These cheer leaders may be recognized by their white sweaters bearing orange and black emblems.

ANNE BAYHA
Captain

MISS SCHLUTIUS
Sponsor

ARCHERY CLUB

Top row: Cheney, Miss Ludlow, Weaver, Cook.
Row One: Lehmann, Warfel, Weaver, Vahle, Niedringhaus, Bridges, Yard.

BILL WEAVER
President

JOHN VAHLE
Vice President

BEULAH WARFEL
Secretary-Treasurer

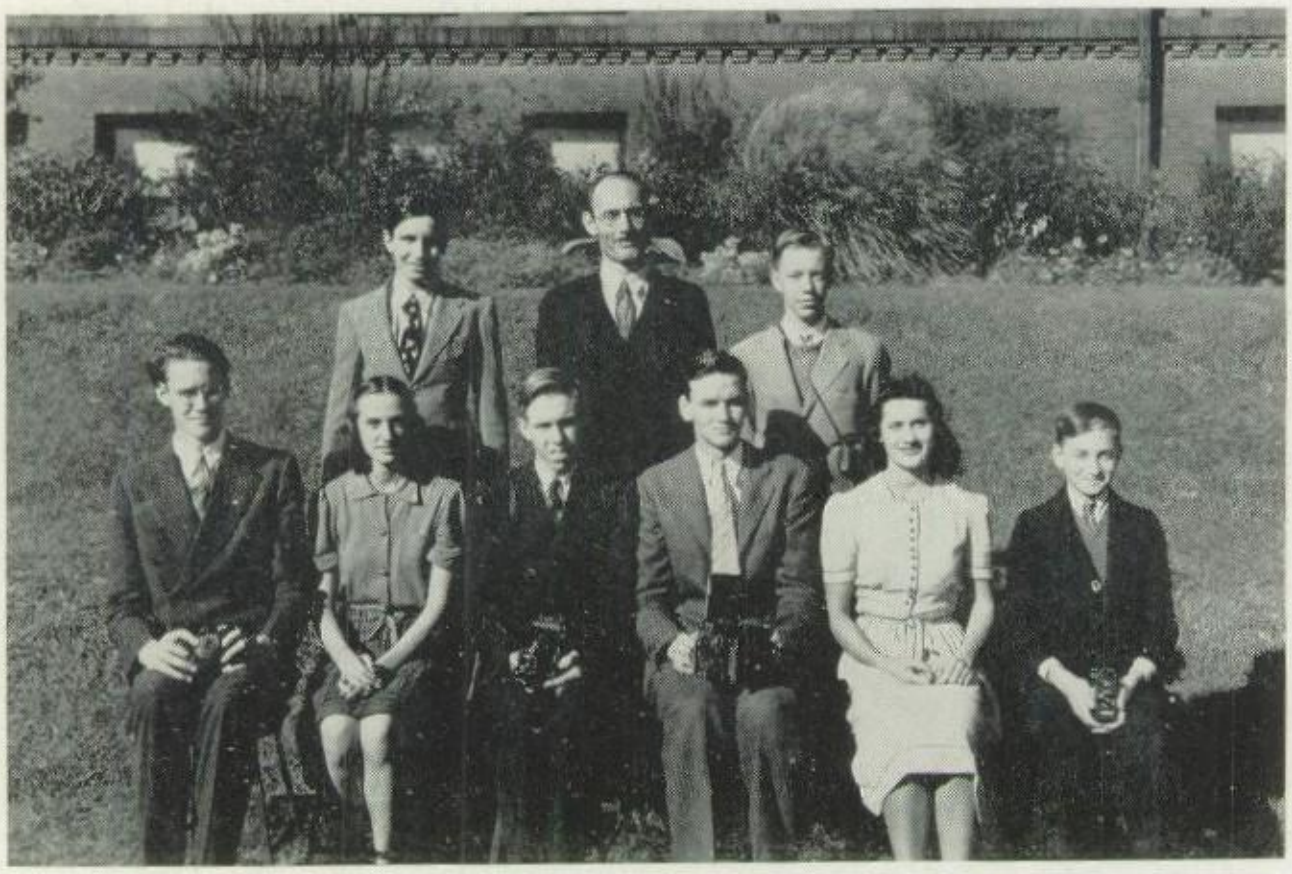
MISS LUDLOW
Sponsor

The Archery Club, organized in September, 1937, and sponsored by Miss Ludlow, meets on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons at 2:35. After a brief meeting inside, the club, weather permitting, adjourns to the campus where each member shoots thirty arrows at thirty yards.

The members of the club owe much to Dan Brennan, a former Blewett student, for his instructions. He meets with the club each Thursday afternoon to coach them. He is now preparing for interscholastic competition. He also directed a motion picture last June in which the girls appeared. The club looks forward to the picture's release.

Entrance fee is one dollar and dues are twenty-five cents a month. Due to inadequate equipment, the membership is restricted to twelve, therefore necessitating a waiting list.

CAMERA CLUB



Top row: Beggs, Mr. Krause, Herrmann.
Row One: Schmitz, Cliver, Weaver, Hearst, German, Kesslinger.

The purpose of the Camera Club is to familiarize members with all phases of still photography.

This year the club was fortunate in obtaining a fine portrait camera and has sent it to the factory for a few minor repairs. Plans have been made for setting up complete facilities for the developing and printing of pictures by the members of the club.

In the meantime the members have been experimenting with Mr. Krause's camera. So far some portraits have been taken, developed and enlarged. If these prove satisfactory the club plans to make portraits of faculty members and students in an effort to raise money for equipment.

WILLIAM HEARST
President

BILL WEAVER
Vice President

SOL KESSLINGER
Secretary

MR. KRAUSE
Sponsor

GRIFFIN STAFF

Standing: Mr. Forsman, Ford, Balla, Johnson, Garrett, Kaley, Miss Cable.
Seated: Bayha, Murdock, Zytowski, Ulrich, Pevirotto, Brittain.

CARL ZYTOWSKI
Editor-in-Chief

JOHANNA BALLA
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JIM PEVIROTTO
Art Editors

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BURNETT FORD
Asst. Business Manager

ANNE BAYHA
Circulation Manager

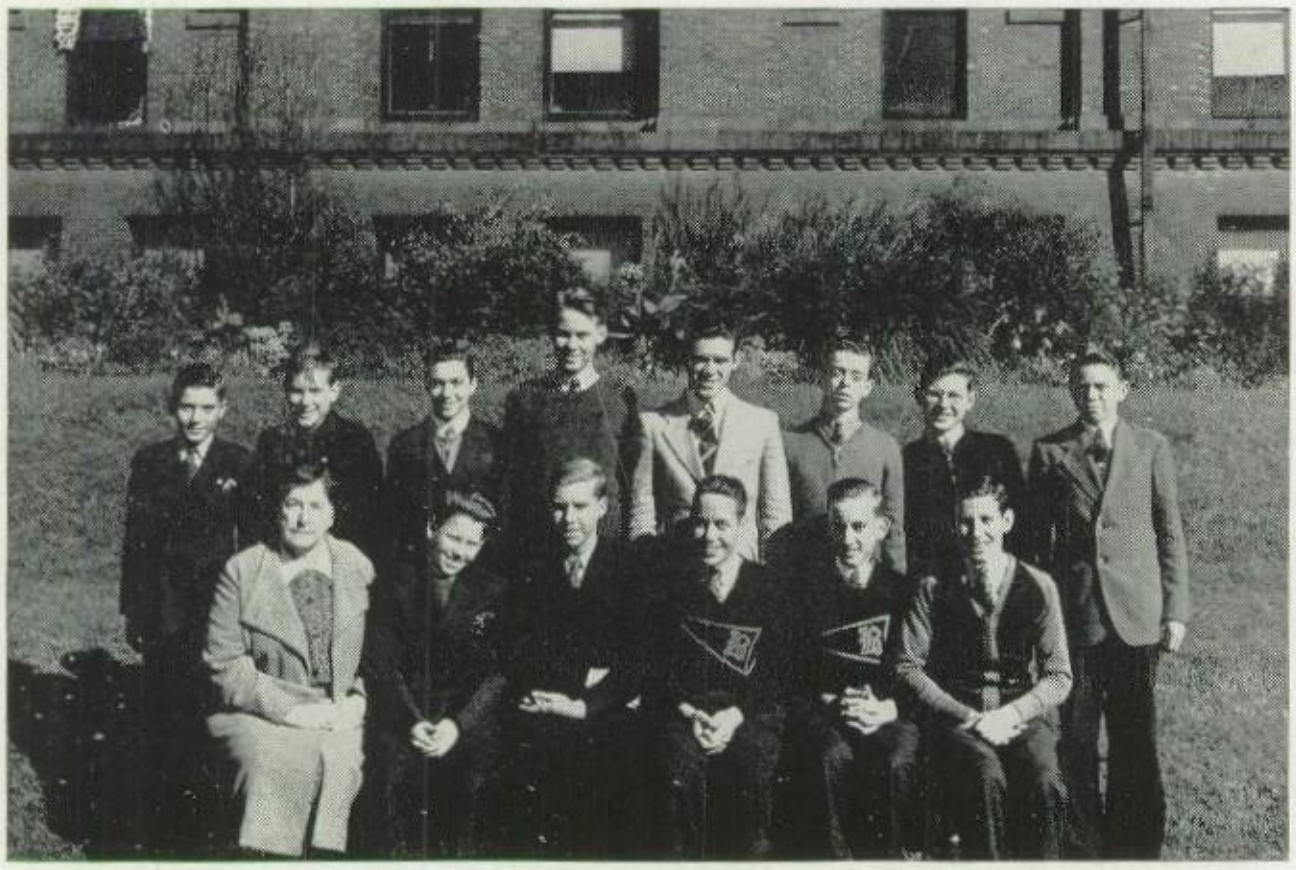
MARY BRITTAIN
Chief Typist

The Griffin Staff is composed of eleven students ranging from terms six to eight and is under the sponsorship of Miss Jessie Cable and Guy C. Forsman. The staff, with the aid of the reporters and business representatives, publishes four editions of The Griffin each term.

Under the supervision of Miss Cable, the editorial staff assigns, compiles, corrects, and prepares all material for the printer. The business staff solicits all subscriptions, collects money, and plans the publicity for the paper under the direction of Mr. Forsman.

The Griffin has entered its third year of publication and is the state champion in its division, news magazine, of all senior high schools.

BOYS PEP CLUB



Top row: Stone, Littrell, Kaiser, Porter, Blackard, Russell, Lineback, Meyer.
Row One: Miss Guerin, Frame, Swift, Kourik, Hayes, McCormick.

The Boys Pep Club is an organization which cooperates with the Girls Pep Club in selling athletic tickets and striving for a large representation from our school at all athletic contests.

School spirit in Blewett is promoted by this club. The boys receive points for attendance at games and meetings and also for the sale of season athletic tickets. Eventually each boy may receive an emblem, based upon his earning one hundred of these points.

JACK KOURIK
President

JOHN HAYES
Vice President

BOB SWIFT
Secretary

AUSTIN McCORMICK
Treasurer

MISS GUERIN
Sponsor

GYM CLUB

Kesslinger, Warnhoff, Shoulders, Thompson, Marcellos, Bell, Burke, John, Kohler, Conway, Peeler, Mr. Seitz.

ARNOLD THOMPSON
President

HARRY WARNHOFF
Secretary

PETE JOHN
Treasurer

MR. SEITZ
Sponsor

The Gym Club was organized in 1935, offering an opportunity for the boys to build and strengthen their bodies. The club, coached by Mr. Seitz, has progressed rapidly and now has an active membership of eighty-two boys, who are striving to gain a place on either the first, second, or third team. The boys work on the horse, the horizontal bar and the parallel bars. Last year the team was victorious in the first "Interscholastic Gymnastic Meet," which was held at Beaumont, with six schools competing. Blewett was awarded a trophy but must win twice more to obtain permanent possession of it. Arnold Thompson is captain of the team. The club meets on Tuesday and Friday afternoons at 2:30 in the gym, and is open to all boys.

THE POETRY CLUB

WANDA GARRETT - - - - President
HELEN KEPPLER - - - Vice President
SYLVIA BERIN - - - - Secretary

The poetry club of Blewett,
Is small, but active, too
The future Poe's and Shelley's
Mingle each day with you.

They meet on every Wednesday
Their handwork to show,
To bring their work and other's
For discussion, "con and pro."

'Tis a club of earnest purpose
For those with rhythmic mind,
Welcome "would-be" members,
Poetically inclined.

THE SURVEYING CLUB

JAMES CLIFFORD - - - - President
MEYER LEMCOVITZ - - Vice President
GLEN WOOFTER - - Secretary-Treasurer
MR. BAILEY - - - - - Sponsor

The Surveying Club was organized for students having had two or more years of mathematics. The purpose is to give those students interested in engineering a practical knowledge of the use of the slide rule, transit, tape, etc.

Problems in engineering, dealing with the use of surveying instruments, are worked out on the school campus and in near-by Forest Park.

Weekly meetings are held at 2:30 on Wednesday. The present members, not including the officers, are Warren Helberg, Sidney Kandel, Bill McClurken, James Pasley and Richard Whitesell.

SCROLL AND GAVEL DEBATING SOCIETY

BILL McCLERKEN - - - - President
JAMES CLIFFORD - - - Vice President
EPHRAIM CHERRICK - Secretary-Treasurer
MISS FITZSIMMONS - - - - Sponsor

The question for debate this year as set forth by the Missouri High School Debating League of which Blewett is a member is, Resolved: That the United States should establish an alliance with Great Britain. Central, McBride and Soldan are the schools which Blewett must debate for the north side championship. The winner of these debates will then debate the winner from the south side.

Jack Tohtz is the chairman of debate. The affirmative team is composed of Bill McClurken, James Clifford, Norman Schachter, and Jack Ford. The negative side is upheld by Isadore Hitowitz. Ephraim Cherrick, and Carl Myers.

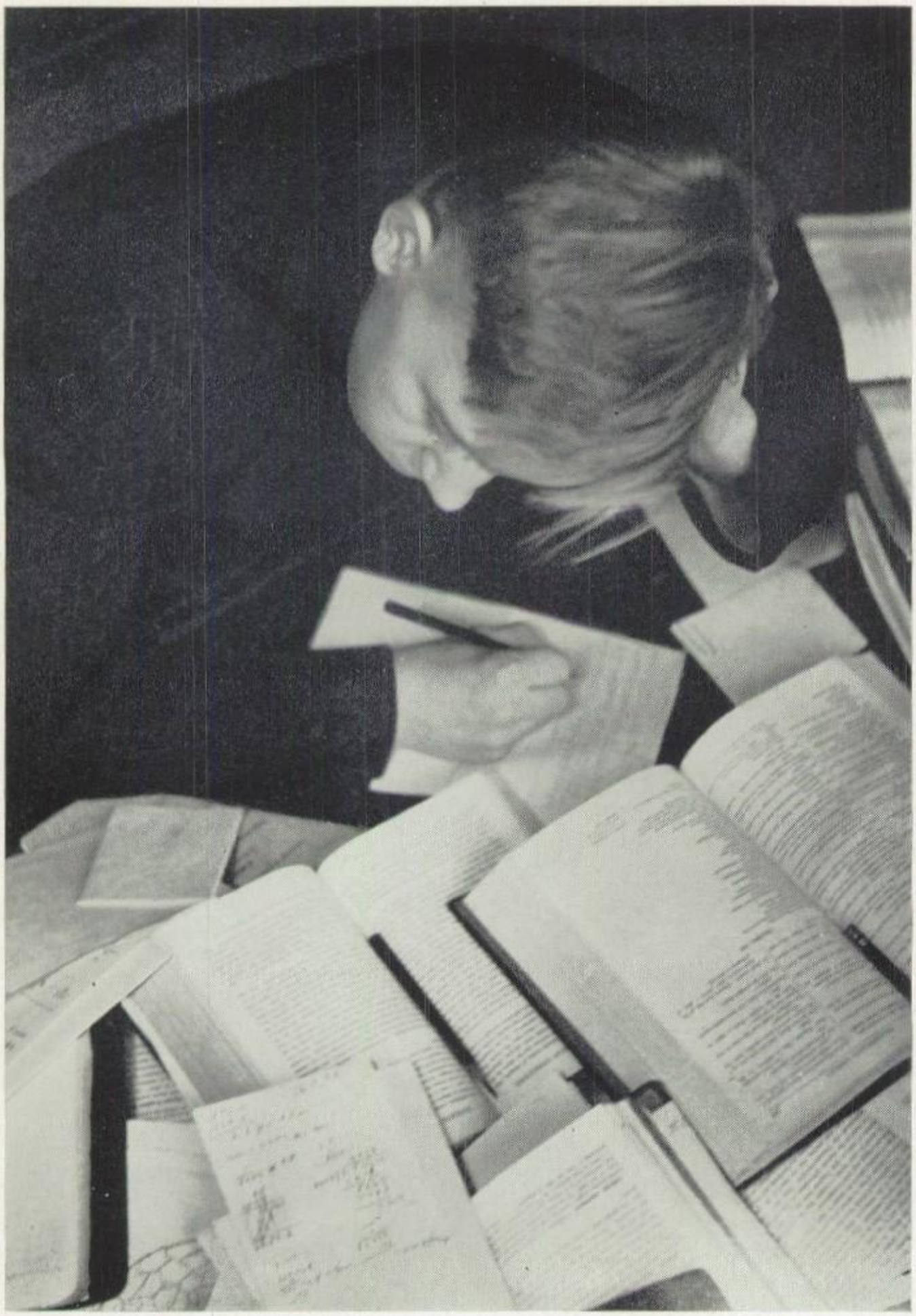
Chapter Four

LITERATURE

"Of all those arts in which the
wise excel,
Nature's chief masterpiece is
writing well."

John Sheffield.

The following pages represent the creative ability of the students of Blewett.



I VISIT A DEPARTMENT STORE ON BARGAIN DAY

George K. Johnson

It was a very cruel twist of Fate that thrust me into an unforgettable experience. Fate in the form of a loving mother who sent me to do her shopping for her, little knowing what the outcome was to be.

Early one Saturday morning I set off with bouyant spirit and an unfettered mind for one of St. Louis' foremost merchandise marts. With a sample of cloth to be matched clasped tightly in my hand, I hopped off the car and strode into the store. It was then that I realized the mistake I had made.

Let me pause to warn all male readers. A department store is strictly "No Man's Land" on Bargain Day. One doesn't realize how oppressed the male is until one struggles through a store where a sale is in progress. The aisles were jammed with slow-moving columns of women who were bent on making a day of it. It seems that women are never satisfied with looking at anything that is pretty. They have to touch it, too. Whenever a lady up ahead saw anything which caught her eye, the procession stopped while she fondled and felt the attraction.

I finally reached an elevator, and it was there that I erred for the second time. I was among the first to get on and was followed in by a small army of shoppers. I was shoved farther and farther back into the elevator as the unending stream of women stepped in. After the operator had closed the door, I took rapid cognizance of my predicament. First, I was squeezed into the farthest corner of the elevator with scant prospects of getting out at the third floor, which was my destination; and second, a squat, broad-beamed lady was leaning unconcernedly on my chest. I didn't mind that so much, but it was her hat which drove me to distraction. A long, red feather projected from the rear and took a swing at my eye every time she moved her head. I finally slid down into a half-crouched position while the red feather waved menacingly above.

We passed the third floor as a darky passes a cemetery. At the ninth floor, I scraped myself off the wall, staggered out into the store, sought out the stairs, and made my way down to the third floor.

Upon reaching Floor Number Three, I found myself in the midst of half the feminine population of St. Louis. Worse still, it was the elder half. A gibbering beautician was washing a lady's face in public and at least one hundred women were gathered, gaping at her. I worked my way through the mob, expertly dodging almost all of the packages which threatened harm. Notice that I said "almost." One lady turned just as I was passing her, and a box which she was holding

struck me full in the face. I would have sworn it was loaded with flat irons.

I struggled on through the milling throngs to the yard-goods department. After a half-hour of patient waiting while a salesgirl searched through countless bolts of drab-colored material, I was informed that the color I desired was not in stock. With great effort, I restrained myself. By sheer force of will power I refrained from tearing my hair and screaming. I thanked the salesgirl and set off through the crowded aisles for the stairway.

I made it this time with no more serious injury than a kick in the shin from a very pugnacious little girl. She had been trudging along in front of me and had suddenly dropped the doll she had been carrying. I couldn't possibly have avoided kicking it, but the little girl didn't rest until she had evened up the score. By that time I had resigned myself to my fate. I was numb to any further harm or humiliation. I limped down the stairs to the main floor and groped my way through the ever-increasing throng of women to the nearest exit.

Never did the great Outdoors seem so gloriously appealing as it did when I stepped outside. Even in the cavern-like darkness of a downtown canyon, the fresh air was almost savory. As I leaned on the wall outside, regaining my composure, I resolved that what this country needs is not a good five-cent cigar, but bigger and better mail-order houses.

DEEP SEAS

By June Keller

Down, down I went. I had just made my first attempt at diving. My diver's suit was clumsy but protective. My, I was frightened to see all the weird sea animals gliding by me! Cutting through the darkness of the ocean, I held my torch in one hand, a dagger in the other. Suddenly I was grabbed from behind. Long, strong, snaky arms encircled me. I looked around only to realize I was in the grasp of an octopus. He was slowly strangling me. I tried to call for help, but my line appeared to be dead.

Again and again I thrust my dagger in him, but he seemed to be immortal and could not even be wounded. Indeed his strength only became greater. By this time my suit had ceased to protect me; my bones were practically crushed. I was gasping for air. I knew death would soon relieve me of this terrible pain. I closed my eyes and gave up hope. Was my grave to be watery, or might I still be saved from this monster?

Once more I opened my eyes and beheld only swirling water, but it was in a glass which a white robed nurse held out to me. Then it all came back to me, and I was thankful that I had taken gas. My painful tooth, which the dentist now held in his hand, would bother me no more.

Chapter Five

CAMPUS

The campus life, representing the entire student body at Blewett, is presented in the last chapter of the book. It consists of campus snapshots contributed by the students and depicts a humorous part of Blewett school life.

TOP ROW

Concentration

The Bell

Pop

One of the Jones Boys

SECOND ROW

Lunch

Misstep

Butch

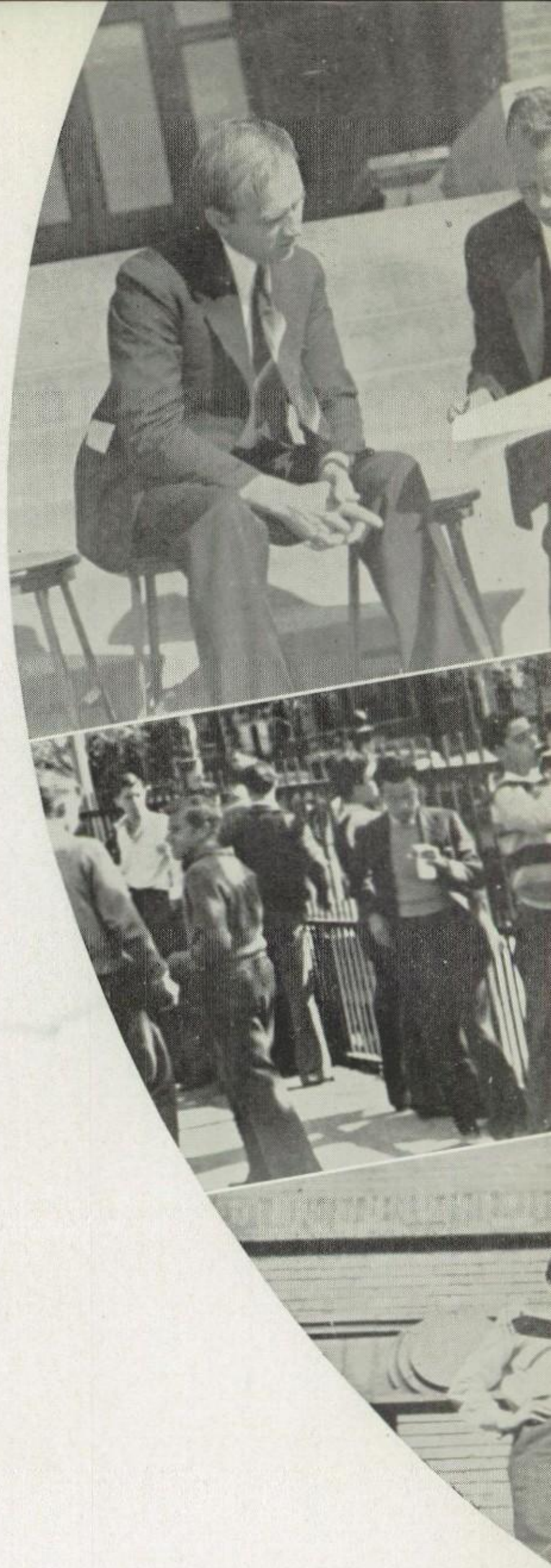
Yum

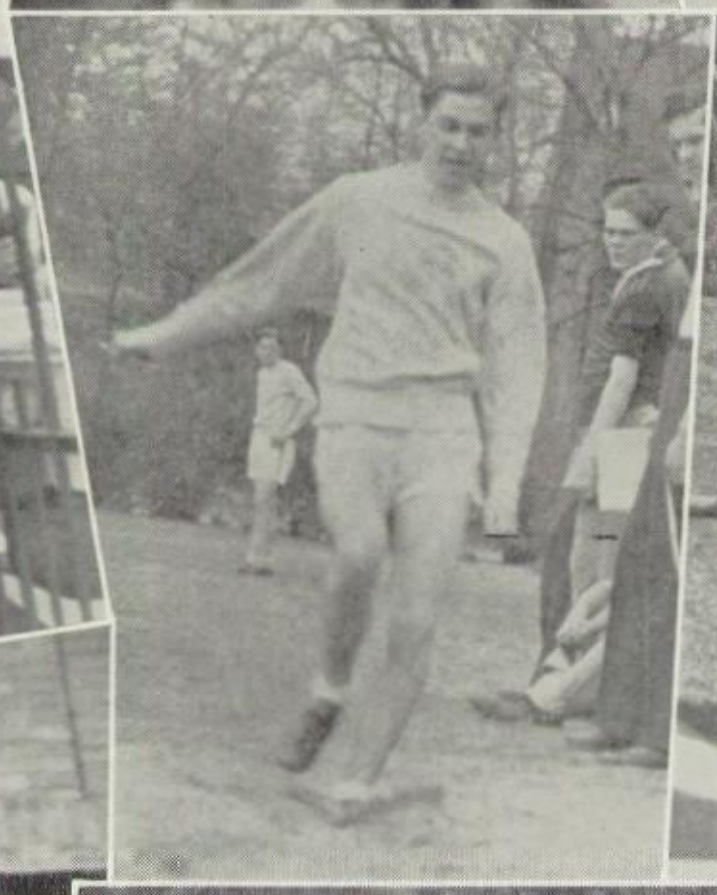
BOTTOM ROW

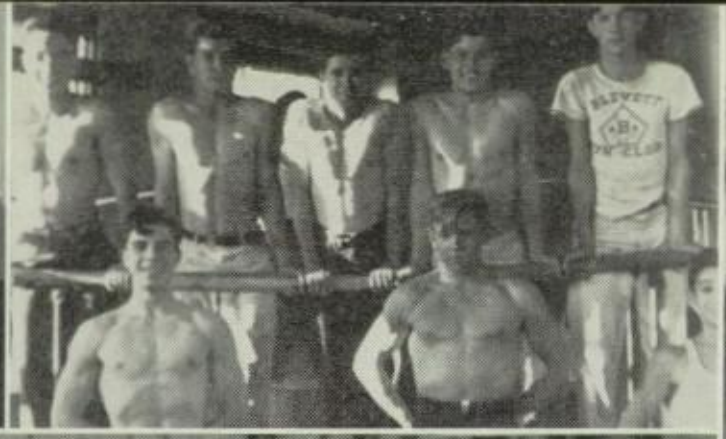
Comrades

Campus

Bike Races







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